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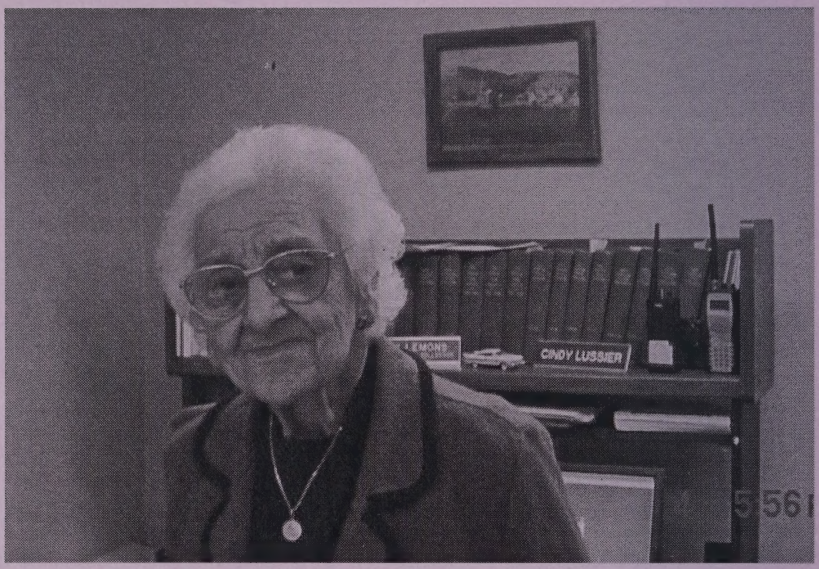
OF

NEW IPSWICH, NH

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007



The Town of New Ipswich honors Lucy Lemons, long time Town Clerk, by dedicating this 2008 Town Report to her. For 30 years Lucy has fulfilled the duties of Town Clerk since her first election in 1978. She also served simultaneously as the Tax Collector when she won the 1981 election and served in that office until 1996 when she stepped down to the position of Deputy Tax Collector a title she held until 2003. Through her long career with the Town from her original association as clerk for the Electric Light Company through her current position she has been a positive influence in the town. We thank her for her many years of dedicated service to New Ipswich and wish her the very best in her retirement.

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TOWN OFFICERS

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

David S. Lage, Chairman	March 2008
David G. Keurulainen	March 2009
Richard Stauffeneker	March 2010
Marie Knowlton, Town Administrator	Appointed

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

James E. Coffey, Chairman	March 2009
Jeanne M. Cunningham	March 2008
George K. Slyman, Sr.	March 2010
Joanne Meshna, Secretary	Appointed

TAX COLLECTOR

Amy Thibault	March 2008
Mary Ann Fortier, Deputy	Appointed

TOWN CLERK

Lucy Lemons	March 2008
Cynthia L. Lussier, Deputy	Appointed

MODERATOR

Earl R. Somero	March 2008
Laurence P. Ackerson, Deputy	Resigned

AUDITOR

Laurence P. Ackerson	March 2008

TREASURER

Beverly A. Vaillancourt	March 2010
Linda Langille, Deputy	Resigned

POLICE

W. Garrett Chamberlain, Chief	Appointed
Jennifer Weston, Secretary	Appointed

FIRE

David Leel, Chief	March 2008

ROAD AGENT

David Leel	Resigned
W. Garrett Chamberlain	Interim

SUPERVISORS OF CHECKLIST

Geraldine E. Nelson, Chairman	March 2012
Maria J. Somero	March 2008
Dorothy M. Murray	March 2010

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Patricia Lage	March 2008
Woody Meiszner	March 2009
James Starbuck	Deceased
Lisa Flannery, Appointed	March 2010

PLANNING BOARD

James Coffey, Chairman	March 2010
Oliver E. Niemi, Jr.	March 2008
Edward Dekker	March 2008
Bentti Hoiska	March 2010
Jay Lewis	March 2009
Jacqueline Rager	Resigned
David Sayers	Resigned
Woody Meiszner, Alternate	March 2008
Vernon Craig Dudley, Alternate	March 2009
David S. Lage, Selectmen's Representative	Appointed
Joanne Meshna, Alternate and Secretary	Appointed

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Susan R. Williams, Chairman	Appointed
David J. Cotzin	Appointed
Greg Hanselman	Appointed
Toni Lovell	Appointed
Wendy Freeman	Appointed
Clark S. Baldwin, Alternate	Appointed
Suzan Schafer Meiszner, Alternate	Appointed
Joanne Meshna, Alternate and Secretary	Appointed

HEALTH OFFICER

BethAnne Tatro	Appointed

BUILDING INSPECTOR

James Shultz	Appointed

POOL

Christine Lage, Director	Appointed

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Robert A. Boynton, Chairman	Appointed
Harvey Green, Vice Chairman	Appointed
Jack Messe	Appointed
Douglas C. Waitt	Appointed
Daniel Daly	Appointed
Friedericke Kazo	Appointed
David F. McTigue	Appointed
William Watkinson, Alternate	Appointed
Joanne Meshna, Secretary and Alternate	Appointed
Mary Jane Grasty, Associate	
David S. Lage, Selectmen's Representative	

CEMETERY TRUSTEES

Stanley Zabierek	March 2009
Ken Burke	March 2008
Jay Hopkins	March 2010

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

James L. Hicks, Director	Appointed
Richard Lehtonen	Appointed

STEARNS-BURTON LECTURE

Beverly Vaillancourt	Appointed
Kathy Gauvin	Appointed

SEXTON

Oliver Niemi, Jr.	Appointed

ARCHIVES COMMITTEE

Edward Rogers	Appointed

FOREST FIRE WARDEN

David Leel	Appointed

ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER

Robert Arpin	Appointed

MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

Dennis Gauvin, Co-Chairman	Appointed
Dennis Fournier, Co-Chairman	Appointed
Don Poirier	Appointed
George "Butch" Leel	Appointed
Lance dePlante	Appointed
Oliver Niemi, Jr.	Appointed

JOINT LOSS MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

James L. Hicks	Appointed
Hazen Fisk	Appointed
Marie Knowlton	Appointed
Amy Thibault	Appointed

FINANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Malcolm (Kim) Rode, Chairman	Appointed
Jeanne Cunningham	Appointed
Mark Hopkins	Appointed
Bentti O. Hoiska	Appointed
David S. Lage, Selectmen's Representative	

RECREATION AND PARKS

Kathy Perra, Director	Appointed
Kevin Rutledge	Appointed
Michael Conlin	Appointed
Robert McArthur	Resigned
Richard Stauffeneker, Selectmen's Representative	

OLD TOWN HALL COMMITTEE

Alan Doyle, Chairman	Appointed
Wendy Grippardi	Appointed
Beverly Vaillancourt	Appointed
Suzan Schafer Meiszner	Appointed
Becky Doyle	Appointed
Laurence Ackerson	Resigned
David Keurulainen, Selectman's Representative	

FACILITIES COMMITTEE

Tom Humphrey	Appointed
Doug Waitt	Appointed
Jay Lewis	Appointed
Bruce Hamilton	Appointed
David Lage, Selectman's Representative	

ENERGY COMMITTEE

Elaine Bomford	Appointed
Carol Stein	Appointed
Jack Messe	Appointed
George Poly	Appointed
Maureen Poly	Appointed
Sharon Rosenfelder	Appointed
Marie Knowlton	

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Tim Somero	Appointed
Mikko Salokangas	Appointed
Renee Blanchette	Appointed
John Sterrett	Appointed
Berneice Peakes	Appointed
Diane Steele	Appointed
Alice Altman	Appointed
Jeff Zarend	Appointed
Anne Soini, Librarian	Appointed
Celia Koski, Assistant Librarian	Appointed
Ann-Marie Howard, Assistant Librarian	Appointed
Nina Kuusisto, Assistant Librarian	Appointed

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TOWN OF NEW IPSWICH
COMPARATIVE BUDGET STATEMENT

	2007 Proposed	2007 Actual	**2008 Proposed**	Default
Town Office	198,599	196,277	**203,676**	198,475
Moderator	697	624	**1,037**	697
Town Clerk	46,553	46,799	**49,338**	46,553
Elect & Registrations	7,370	7,396	**13,112**	10,260
Vital Stats	1,200	1,872	**2,100**	1,200
Trustees	1,155	1,065	**1,305**	1,155
Auditor	9,228	11,732	**11,728**	11,728
Assessing	39,335	37,999	**37,578**	39,335
Tax Collector	40,725	39,466	**43,449**	40,725
Treasurer	12,536	11,275	**11,824**	12,536
Legal	32,000	38,325	**38,000**	32,000
Employee Benefits	220,081	217,986	**237,008**	237,057
Planning	25,250	4,014	**9,370**	10,250
Zoning	1,849	1,608	**1,900**	1,849
Gen Government Bldgs	71,249	62,646	**66,042**	58,299
Cemeteries	24,309	19,770	**25,909**	24,409
Insurance	62,648	61,607	**61,413**	63,848
Regional Assoc	8,440	8,471	**8,758**	8,440
Police	441,219	451,012	**485,681**	467,487
Ambulance Service	30,114	30,114	**30,278**	30,392
Fire	107,396	109,945	**112,644**	113,396
Building Permit Officer	8,790	9,168	**9,613**	8,790
Emergency Mgmt	6,242	6,217	**5,554**	6,242
Communications	43,789	42,036	**44,357**	44,357
Highway	470,373	458,262	**487,895**	505,278
Street Lighting	23,555	24,164	**24,500**	24,444
Transfer Station	110,121	89,867	**96,299**	111,842
Landfill Cap Testing	16,955	13,651	**15,455**	16,955
Health Officer	2,124	1,392	**1,916**	2,124
Animal Control	8,819	8,949	**12,169**	8,819
Welfare	35,945	25,421	**31,715**	35,945
Parks & Rec	24,816	23,622	**26,707**	24,816
Pool	33,307	26,675	**34,666**	33,307
Patriotic Purposes	1,000	900	**6,500**	1,000
Conservation	1,965	1,965	**1,965**	1,965
Principal Notes & Bonds	45,000	45,000	**45,000**	45,000
Interest Notes & Bonds	24,804	24,804	**22,728**	24,804
	2,239,557	2,162,096	**2,319,189**	2,305,779
			3.56%	

TOWN OF NEW IPSWICH
ESTIMATED 2007 - 2008 REVENUES

SOURCE	2007 ESTIMATED	2007 ACTUAL	2008 ESTIMATE
LAND USE TAX	150,000	229,560	100,000
YIELD TAX	10,000	2,861	2,800
LIEU OF TAXES	3,243	670	670
TOTAL EXCAVATION		1,874	1,800
INTEREST & PENALTIES	80,000	80,327	80,000
MOTOR VEHICLE PERMITS	848,000	800,505	800,000
BUILDING PERMIT FEES	18,000	35,746	30,000
OTHER PERMITS, FEES & LICENSES	38,000	38,694	40,000
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	84,000	41,379	
SHARED REVENUES	60,172	60,172	60,000
ROOMS & MEALS	206,000	212,010	220,000
STATE & FEDERAL LAND		435	500
INCOME FROM DEPARTMENTS	25,000	68,548	41,010
INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS	80,000	94,043	85,000
OTHER FEES & SERVICE CHGS		3,225	3,000
TRANSFER STATION	85,000	85,000	60,000
RENT	30,996	31,208	18,000
TOTAL REVENUES	1,718,411	1,786,257	1,542,780

Art #	2008 Warrant Articles	
4	Add to Capital Reserve	158,500
5	Salt Shed Construction	185,000
11	Highway Truck Replacement	46,000
8	Highway Block Grant	123,490
7	Excavator Purchase	79,000
14	Athletic Field Engineering	70,000
12	Fire Dept Protect Gear	13,200
13	Road Repair Reconstruction	425,000
9	Land Conservation	50,000
10	Health Services	16,819
11	Library	30,000
15	Recreation Repair Lights & Backstop	8,500
16	Tricnit Bridge Design	60,000
17	Tricnit Bridge Construction	525,000
18	Forest Fire Equip Gear	4,000
21	Extend Sidewalk on Rte 124	100,800
25	Remove Hemlocks Central Cemetery	8,500
26	Replace Fence Smithville Cemetery	5,850
	Total Warrant Articles	1,909,659
	FUNDING FOR WARRANT ARTICLES	
	From Capital Reserve	119,700
	From Grants	744,290
	From Fund Balance	439,350
	From Revenue & Taxes	606,319
	Total Funding for Warrant Articles	1,909,659

STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT

MUNICIPAL LANDFILL REVOLVING TRUST

DUE DATE	PRINCIPAL	INTEREST	TOTAL
9/1/2005	35,000.00	28,178.49	63,178.49
9/1/2006	35,000.00	24,525.20	59,525.20
9/1/2007	35,000.00	23,234.40	58,234.40
9/1/2008	35,000.00	21,943.60	56,943.60
9/1/2009	35,000.00	20,652.80	55,652.80
9/1/2010	35,000.00	19,362.00	54,362.00
9/1/2011	35,000.00	18,071.20	53,071.20
9/1/2012	35,000.00	16,780.40	51,780.40
9/1/2013	35,000.00	15,489.60	50,489.60
9/1/2014	35,000.00	14,198.80	49,198.80
9/1/2015	35,000.00	12,908.00	47,908.00
9/1/2016	35,000.00	11,617.20	46,617.20
9/1/2017	35,000.00	10,326.40	45,326.40
9/1/2018	35,000.00	9,035.60	44,035.60
9/1/2019	35,000.00	7,744.80	42,744.80
9/1/2020	35,000.00	6,454.00	41,454.00
9/1/2021	35,000.00	5,163.20	40,163.20
9/1/2022	35,000.00	3,872.40	38,872.40
9/1/2023	35,000.00	2,581.60	37,581.60
9/1/2024	35,000.00	1,290.80	36,290.80
	$ 700,000.00	$ 273,430.49	$ 973,430.49

LANDFILL PROPERTY BOND
December 31, 2008

Due Date	Principal	Interest
1/15/2008		785.00
7/15/2008	10,000.00	785.00

New Ipswich Municipal Landfill Closure
20% Grant Calculation for Eligible Payments

SRF Amount	Eligible SRF Amoun	Ratio	Eligible Cash Amount
$800,000.00	$799,638.16	99.9548%	$196,886.66

State Fiscal Year	Date Due	Principal Pmt	Ratio	Principal Pmt. Eligible	Interest Rate	Interest Pmt.	Interest Pmt. Eligible	Grant Payment Principal	Grant Payment Interest	Grant Payment for Eligible Cash Expenditures	Grant Payment Total
2006	09/01/05	$135,000.00	99.9548%	$134,938.94	2.6880%	$20,537.90	$20,528.61	$26,987.79	$4,105.72	$39,377.33	**$70,470.84**
2007	09/01/06	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$17,875.20	$17,867.12	$6,996.83	$3,573.42		**$10,570.26**
2008	09/01/07	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$16,834.40	$16,826.74	$6,996.83	$3,365.35		**$10,362.18**
2009	09/01/08	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$15,993.60	$15,986.37	$6,996.83	$3,197.27		**$10,194.11**
2010	09/01/09	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$15,052.80	$15,045.99	$6,996.83	$3,009.20		**$10,006.03**
2011	09/01/10	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$14,112.00	$14,105.62	$6,996.83	$2,821.12		**$9,817.96**
2012	09/01/11	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$13,171.20	$13,165.24	$6,996.83	$2,633.05		**$9,629.88**
2013	09/01/12	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$12,230.40	$12,224.87	$6,996.83	$2,444.97		**$9,441.81**
2014	09/01/13	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$11,289.60	$11,284.49	$6,996.83	$2,256.90		**$9,253.73**
2015	09/01/14	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$10,348.80	$10,344.12	$6,996.83	$2,068.82		**$9,065.66**
2016	09/01/15	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$9,408.00	$9,403.74	$6,996.83	$1,880.75		**$8,877.58**
2017	09/01/16	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$8,467.20	$8,463.37	$6,996.83	$1,692.67		**$8,689.51**
2018	09/01/17	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$7,526.40	$7,523.00	$6,996.83	$1,504.60		**$8,501.43**
2019	09/01/18	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$6,585.60	$6,582.62	$6,996.83	$1,316.52		**$8,313.36**
2020	09/01/19	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$5,644.80	$5,642.25	$6,996.83	$1,128.45		**$8,125.28**
2021	09/01/20	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$4,704.00	$4,701.87	$6,996.83	$940.37		**$7,937.21**
2022	09/01/21	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$3,763.20	$3,761.50	$6,996.83	$752.30		**$7,749.13**
2023	09/01/22	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$2,822.40	$2,821.12	$6,996.83	$564.22		**$7,561.06**
2024	09/01/23	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$1,881.60	$1,880.75	$6,996.83	$376.15		**$7,372.98**
2025	09/02/24	$35,000.00	99.9548%	$34,984.17	2.6880%	$940.80	$940.37	$6,996.83	$188.07		**$7,184.91**
		$800,000.00		$799,638.16				$159,927.63			**$239,144.92**

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY VALUATION

Land	$162,567,812
Buildings	249,603,900
Public Utilities	5,957,800
Less Total Exemptions Allowed	2,398,600
Net Valuation	$415,730,912

TAXES COMMITTED TO TAX COLLECTOR

Town Property Taxes Assessed	$6,797,200
Less War Service Tax Credits	108,500
Net Property Tax Commitment	$6,688,700

TAX RATE 2007
16.35 PER 1,000

Town	$ 2.25
County	1.00
School	10.86
State	2.24
	$16.35

TAX RATE HISTORY

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Town	$2.67	$2.55	$1.92	$2.37	$1.15	$ 2.25
County	1.74	1.69	1.02	1.01	1.00	1.00
School	12.41	16.23	9.00	9.05	10.13	10.86
State	5.47	5.68	2.51	2.51	2.27	2.24
	$22.29	26.15	14.45	14.94	14.55	16.35

TAX RATE CALCULATION – 2007

Gross Appropriations	2,746,001			
Less: Revenues	1,929,156			
Less: Shared Revenues	23,636			
Add: Overlay	34,715			
War Service Credits	108,500			
Net Town Appropriation		936,424		
Special Adjustment		0		
Approved Town Tax Effort			936,424	Town Rate 2.25
SCHOOL PORTION				
Net Local School Budget (Gross Approp.-Revenue)		0		
Regional School Apportionment		8,589,347		
Less: Equitable Education Grant		-3,155,886		
State Education Taxes		-919,225		Local School
Approved School Tax Effort			4,514,236	Rate 10.86
STATE EDUCATION TAXES				
Equalized Valuation x		2.24		
(no utilities)	410,368,180		919,225	
Divide by Local Assessed				State School
Valuation (no utilities)	409,773,112			Rate 2.24
Excess State Education Taxes to be				
Remitted to State - Pay to State		0		
COUNTY PORTION				
Due to County		418,130		
Less: Shared Revenues		-4,159		County
Approved County Tax Effort			413,971	Rate 1.00
Total Property Taxes Assessed			6,783,856	Total Rate
Less War Services Credits			-108,500	16.35
Add: Village District Commitments			0	
Total Property Tax Commitment			6,675,356	
PROOF OF RATE				
Net Assessed Valuation			Tax Rate	Assessment
State Education Tax (no utilities)		409,773,112	2.24	919,225
All Other Taxes		415,730,912	14.11	5,864,631
				6,783,856

2008 TOWN WARRANT
State of New Hampshire
Town of New Ipswich

To the inhabitants of the Town of New Ipswich in the County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Mascenic Regional High School in New Ipswich on the 5th day of February, 2008 at 7:30 o'clock in the evening for the first session (Deliberative Session) of the Annual Town Meeting and you are further notified to meet at the Mascenic Regional High School on the 11th day of March, 2008 between 7 o'clock in the forenoon and 7 o'clock in the evening for the second session of the Meeting (polls will be open for voting at the second session) to vote upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1. To choose the following necessary town officials for the year ensuing:

Auditor	1 year term
Board of Assessors	3 year term
Cemetery Trustee	3 year term
Fire Chief	1 year term
Moderator	2 year term
Selectman (1)	3 year term
Supervisor of the Checklist	6 year term
Tax Collector	3 year term
Town Clerk	3 year term
Trustee of the Trust Funds (1)	3 year term
Planning Board (2)	3 year term
Planning Board (2)	1 year term

ARTICLE 2. Shall the Town raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriations voted separately, the amount set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session for the purposes set forth therein totaling $2,319,189. Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be $2,305,778 which is the same as last year with certain adjustments required by previous action of the town or by law, or, the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 3. Shall the Town vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 72:38-b, Exemption for Deaf or Severely Hearing Impaired Persons, and to set the exemption from the property tax assessment each year for qualifying persons at $50,000. To qualify, a person must meet the hearing loss requirements of RSA 72:38-b, II, and must have a net income from all sources, if single not greater than $22,500, or if married a combined net income not greater than $30,000, and must not have net assets greater than $50,000. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Fifty-Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($158,500) to be added to the capital reserve and expendable trust funds created previously as directed below:

1967	Highway Equipment Capital Reserve	$50,000
1966	Fire Truck Capital Reserve	35,000
1982	Pool Capital Reserve	4,000
1999	Maint of Parks & Rec. Facilities Cap Res	5,000
1997	Police Cruiser Capital Reserve	10,000
1994	Revaluation Capital Reserve	24,500
2007	Building Maintenance Expendable Trust	30,000

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate One Hundred Eighty-five Thousand Dollars ($185,000) for the purpose of building a salt shed including site improvement costs, on the land adjacent to the Transfer Station. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Forty-Six Thousand Dollars ($46,000) for the purpose of purchasing a diesel truck with a plow for the Highway Department, using the State of New Hampshire bid program, and to authorize the withdrawal of Forty-Six Thousand dollars ($46,000) from the Highway Equipment Capital Reserve Fund established for this purpose. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee. (see amendment made at Deliberative session)

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seventy-Nine Thousand Dollars ($79,000) for the purpose of purchasing an excavator with rubber tires for use by the Highway Department and to fund $50,000 from the Highway Department Capital Reserve, the balance to be funded through taxation. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Three Thousand Four Hundred Ninety Dollars ($123,490) for the purpose of town road maintenance. The amount of this appropriation is equal to the amount of funds anticipated to be received from the State Highway Block Grant. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the town will vote to appropriate Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000) to be added to the Land Conservation Capital Reserve fund established in 2007 by Article 20, with said funds to come from fund balance. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Sixteen Thousand Eight Hundred Nineteen Dollars ($16,819) for the purpose of funding the following regional

health services: Monadnock Family Services $5,824; Home Healthcare, Hospice and Community Services $4,500; St. Joseph Community Services Inc. $1,495; American Red Cross $1,000; Host Homes $3,000; Milford Area Affordable Counseling $500; Milford Area Mediation $500. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars ($30,000) to support the New Ipswich Library. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate Thirteen Thousand Two Hundred Dollars ($13,200) for the purpose of purchasing 6 sets of turn out protective gear for the Fire Department and to authorize the transfer of Thirteen Thousand Two Hundred Dollars ($13,200) from the Fire Department Protective Equipment Capital Reserve account set up for this purpose. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town of New Ipswich will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars ($425,000) to upgrade 2 miles of road and to authorize funding $50,000 from the encumbered 2007 Highway block grant and to authorize funding the remaining $375,000 from unreserved fund balance. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seventy Thousand dollars ($70,000) for engineering fees related to the design of athletic fields to be located on town owned property adjacent to the transfer station. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Not recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($8,500) to repair the lights and backstop at Memorial Field with funds to be withdrawn from the Parks and Recreation Capital Reserve Fund. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars ($60,000) for design and bid phase engineering for the replacement of the Tricnit Road Bridge over Furnace Brook (NHDOT Bridge No. 139/106) a Town-owned and maintained bridge with critical deficiencies and limited loading capacity. The Town will be reimbursed 80% (up to $48,000) of the actual engineering costs by the New Hampshire Department of Transportation (NHDOT) through the NHDOT Municipal Managed Bridge Aid Program. The remaining 20% of the costs (up to $12,000) shall be funded by the Town. This is a non lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7, VI. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars ($525,000) for construction and construction engineering for the

replacement of the Tricnit Road Bridge over Furnace Brook (NHDOT Bridge No. 139/106), a Town-owned and maintained bridge with critical deficiencies and limited loading capacity. The Town will be reimbursed 80% (up to $420,000) of the actual construction and construction engineering costs by the New Hampshire Department of Transportation (NHDOT) through the NHDOT Municipal Managed Bridge Aid Program. The remaining 20% of the costs (up to $105,000) shall be funded by the town. This is a non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7, VI. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Dollars ($4,000) for the purpose of purchasing forty sets of forest fire protective equipment for the Fire Department and to authorize the transfer of Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000) from the Fire Department Protective Equipment Capital Reserve Fund and to accept the remaining amount of Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000) from the State of N.H. Department of Resources and Economic Development Forest Protection Bureau awarded to the Town. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.(see amendment made at Deliberative session)

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Heritage Commission under the authority of RSA 673:1 II. "Any local legislative body may establish a heritage commission, historic district commission or agricultural commission" for the purposes as described in RSA 674:44-a, "A heritage commission may be established in accordance with RSA 673 for the proper recognition, use, and protection of resources, tangible or intangible, primarily man-made, that are valued for their historic, cultural, aesthetic, or community significance within their natural, built, or cultural contexts." Members will be appointed by the Board of Selectmen in accordance with RSA 673:V. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to approve the following resolution to be forwarded to our State Representatives, our State Senator and our Governor: Resolved: We the citizens of New Ipswich, NH believe in a New Hampshire that is just and fair. The property tax has become unjust and unfair. State leaders who take a pledge for no new taxes perpetuate higher and higher property taxes. We call on our State Representatives, our State Senator and our Governor to reject the "Pledge", have an open discussion covering all options, and adopt a revenue system that lowers property taxes. Submitted by petition. Not Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Not Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum One Hundred Thousand, Eight Hundred Dollars ($100,800) for the design and installation of a sidewalk on the south side of RTE 124 from TD Banknorth across from Central School to King Road near Boynton Middle School, and other non infrastructure items and to accept One Hundred Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars ($100,800) from the N.H. Department of Transportation, Safe Routes to Schools Grant program awarded for this project. $100,000 of this grant has been awarded for infrastructure and $800 has been awarded for non-infrastructure for school

programs. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to accept the remainder of Cedar Ridge Drive as a town maintained road. 75% of Cedar Ridge is already Town maintained. Submitted by petition. Not recommended by Board of Selectmen. Not recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public highway the right of way known as Kennybeck Court, and assume responsibility. Submitted by petition. Not Recommended by Board of Selectmen. Not recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 24. To rescind the authority given to the selectmen to sell the building and property known as the "old" Highway Garage and to direct the Selectmen to allow the New Ipswich Fire Department to use it for their newly acquired Fire fighting equipment for as long as they have a need. And further to direct the selectmen to keep the salt and sand sheds at that centrally located place instead of moving them to the landfill. Submitted by Petition. Not Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Not Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($8,500) for the purpose of removing a group of hemlocks and a large section of saplings from Central Cemetery to free up some space to be used for burials. This amount to be taken from Fund Balance. Not recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee. Not Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000) to remove and replace 200'of split rail fence at Smithville Cemetery and to raise and appropriate Three Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty Dollars ($3,850) to install 130' of 6" x 6" granite posts with 4" x 4" x 9' rails at the Smithville Cemetery. The total amount of $5,850 to be taken from fund balance. Not recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee. Not recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Given under our hands and seal this 30th day of January 2008.

Board of Selectmen,
Davis S. Lage, Chairman
David G. Keurulainen, Selectman
Richard Stauffeneker, Selectman

AMENDMENTS MADE AT THE DELIBERATIVE SESSION ON FEBRUARY 5, 2008 to the 2008 WARRANT

ARTICLE 6: Amended to read as follows:
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Forty-Six Thousand Dollars ($46,000) for the purpose of purchasing a diesel truck with a plow and dump body for the Highway Department, using the State of New Hampshire bid program, and to authorize the withdrawal of Forty-Six Thousand Dollars ($46,000) from the Highway Equipment Capital Reserve Fund established for this purpose. Recommended by the Board of Selectman. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

ARTICLE 18: Amended to read as follows:
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Zero Dollars ($00.00) for the purpose of purchasing forty sets of forest fire protective equipment for the Fire Department and to authorize the transfer of Zero Dollars ($00.00) from the Fire Department Protective Equipment Capital Reserve Fund and to accept the remaining amount of Zero Dollars ($00.00) from the State of N.H. Department of Resources and Economic Development Forest Protection Bureau awarded to the Town. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen. Recommended by the Finance Advisory Committee.

SYNOPSIS OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
MARCH 13, 2007

Article 1. The results of the Town Election are as follows:

	Votes
Selectman for 3 years	
Richard Stauffeneker	737
Brian Somero	462
Clinton J. Parhiala	21
Board of Assessors for 3 years	
George K. Slyman, Sr.	1103
Planning Board for 3 years	
James E. Coffey	886
Bentti O. Hoiska	646
Cemetery Trustee for 3 years	
Jay Hopkins	1110
Fire Chief for 1 year	
David Leel	904
Auditor for 1 year	
Laurence P. Ackerson	1085
Treasurer for 3 years	
Beverly A. Vaillancourt	1120
Trustees of the Trust Funds for 3 years	
James Starbuck	952
Trustees of the Trust Funds for 1 year	
Patricia Lage	805

WARRANT ARTICLE RESULTS

ARTICLE 2. Affirmative vote for the adoption to Amendment No. 1 as proposed by the Planning Board for the New Ipswich Zoning Ordinance as follows: amend Article X, Conservation Overlay District, Sections A, B and C to (1) clarify that the Floodplain District and Steep Slopes District are overlay districts; (2) clarify the purpose of the Steep Slopes Overlay District; (3) clarify that the Steep Slopes District includes all areas in town with slopes in excess of 15% whether or not they are shown on the town's Steep Slopes map; (4) include a new definition of "Slope"; (5) include a new definition of "Steep Slope"; (6) prohibit development on slopes greater than 25%; (7) ensure proposed new lots are reasonably developable by requiring for minimum lot size that each lot contain one contiguous acre with slopes 15% or less and the said acre does not include wetlands or water bodies and shows a 75 foot by 75 foot square area not within the building setbacks; (8) require a Sediment and Erosion Control Plan for construction on slopes greater than 15% in accordance with Appendix C of the New Ipswich Subdivision Regulations; (10) state the dimensional controls for lots in the Overlay District(s) shall be inherited from the underlying district in which the specific lot resides; (11) correctly reference the adoption date of the Town's Subdivision Regulations and amend Article XII Controls, Section A by eliminating the Steep Slopes column?

Yes votes 620 No votes 555

ARTICLE 3. Affirmative vote for the adoption of Amendment No. 2 as proposed by the Planning Board for the New Ipswich Zoning Ordinance as follows: Rescind the existing separate Wetlands Conservation District Ordinance and create a new section D. Wetlands and Surface Water Conservation Overlay District within Article X: Conservation Overlay District of the Zoning Ordinance of the Town of New Ipswich to (1) include provisions for variance procedures consistent with other dimensional controls within the Zoning Ordinance, (2) clarify language within Article XII. Dimensional Controls, and (3) provide dimensional control consistency within Article XIII. K. Septic Disposal?

Yes votes 589 No votes 555

ARTICLE 4. Affirmative vote for the adoption of Amendment No. 3 as proposed by the Planning Board for the New Ipswich Zoning Ordinance as follows: add definitions to Article XVII: Definitions of the Zoning Ordinance of the Town of New Ipswich pertinent to wetlands and surface water?

Yes votes 626 No votes 515

ARTICLE 5. Affirmative vote for the adoption of Amendment No. 4 as proposed by the Planning Board for the New Ipswich Zoning Ordinance as follows: amend the

Floodplain Development Ordinance as necessary to comply with requirements of the National Flood Insurance Program?

Yes votes 848 No votes 320

ARTICLE 6. Negative vote to amend Article XIII Section F of the New Ipswich Zoning Ordinance regulating signs within the Town of New Ipswich approved by the voters in 2005 ("2005 Amendment") be repealed and amended as follows: A. Repeal the 2005 Amendment in its entirety; and B. Reinstate the language found in the 2004 version of the New Ipswich Zoning Ordinance regulating signs as it is restated and amended below: "SIGNS: All signs shall be maintained in good repair at all times. Any sign that is or falls into disrepair shall be removed upon order of the Selectmen if it is not repaired. Any sign associated with a discontinued use shall be removed by order of the Selectmen."

Yes votes 523 No votes 746

ARTICLE 7. Affirmative vote to raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriations voted separately, the amount set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session for the purposes set forth therein totaling $2,237,081.69 Should this article be defeated, the operating budget shall be $2,125,738.97 which is the same as last year with certain adjustments required by previous action of the town or by law, or, the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only.

Yes votes 754 No votes 475

ARTICLE 8. Negative vote to change the elected position of Fire Chief to an appointed position. If approved, this position will be appointed by the Board of Selectmen to begin at the next annual meeting in March 2008.

Yes votes 412 No votes 804

ARTICLE 9. Affirmative vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Sixteen Thousand dollars ($116,000) to be added to the capital reserve funds created previously as directed below:

Highway Equipment	$35,000
Fire Truck	35,000
Pool	4,000
Maintenance of Parks & Rec. Facilities	5,000
Firefighter Protective Equipment	5,000
Police Cruiser	7,500
Revaluation	24,500

Yes votes 896 No votes 355

ARTICLE 10. Affirmative vote to raise and appropriate Forty-Three Thousand dollars ($43,000) for the purpose of replacing the roof on building #2 the current Police Department/SAU Building.

Yes votes 981 No votes 269

ARTICLE 11. Affirmative vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-Eight Thousand Dollars ($28,000) for the purpose of purchasing a three-quarter ton pickup truck for the Highway Department and to authorize the withdrawal of Twenty Eight Thousand dollars ($28,000) from the Capital Reserve Fund established for this purpose.

Yes votes 759 No votes 478

ARTICLE12. Negative vote to raise and appropriate One Hundred Seventy-Two Thousand Dollars ($172,000) for the purpose of paving approximately 12,536 feet of Timbertop Road, with 1 inches on approximately 7,336 feet and 3 inch overlay on approximately 5,200 feet.

Yes votes 394 No votes 824

ARTICLE 13. Affirmative vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Fifteen Thousand Six Hundred and Twenty-Five Dollars ($115,625) for the purpose of maintenance of town roads. The amount of this appropriation is equal to the amount of funds received from the State Highway Block Grant.

Yes votes 1130 No votes 124

ARTICLE 14. Affirmative vote to establish an Expendable Trust Fund under the provisions of RSA 31:19-a to be known as the Building Maintenance Fund, for the purpose of repairing and maintaining town buildings and to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-thousand dollars ($20,000) for this fund. The Selectmen will be authorized agents for this fund.

Yes votes 952 No votes 285

ARTICLE 15. Affirmative vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000) for the purpose of Assessment, Planning and preservation of Town Archival records and to accept the Vital Records preservation Grants for City and Town Clerks when awarded for this purpose.

Yes votes 786 No votes 455

ARTICLE 16. Affirmative vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Forty-Four Thousand Dollars ($44,000) for the purpose of purchasing protective equipment for the Fire Department and to authorize the transfer of Two Thousand Two Hundred Dollars ($2,200) from the Fire Department Protective Equipment Capital Reserve Fund and to accept the remaining amount of Forty One Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars ($41,800) from the Fire Act Grant for Operations and Safety awarded to the Town.

Yes votes 999 No votes 264

ARTICLE 17. Affirmative vote as amended to raise and appropriate the amount of Thirty-Five Thousand Dollars ($35,000) for the purpose of fence replacement at Memorial Field. Yes votes 652 No votes 591

ARTICLE 18. Affirmative vote to designate Timbertop Road, from the intersection of Huse and Willard Farm Roads to the Rindge town line, as a Scenic Road in accordance with RSA 231:157.

Yes votes 792 No votes 448

ARTICLE 19. Affirmative vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 41:14-a, relating to Acquisition or Sale of Land, Buildings, or Both.

Yes votes 919 No votes 280

ARTICLE 20. Affirmative vote to establish a Land Conservation Capital Reserve Fund as permitted by RSA 35:1, III-a for the purpose of acquiring land or interests in land, to be managed and controlled by the Conservation Commission, and to name the Selectmen as agents to expend the funds authorized under RSA 41:14-a.

Yes votes 733 No votes 493

ARTICLE 21. Affirmative vote to appropriate fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) to be added to the Land Conservation capital reserve fund, with said funds to come from the 12/31/06 fund balance.

Yes votes 677 No votes 542

ARTICLE 22. Affirmative vote for the town to go on record in support of effective actions by the President and the Congress to address the issue of climate change which is increasingly harmful to the environment and economy of New Hampshire and to the future well being of the people of New Ipswich. These actions include: 1. Establishment of a national program requiring reductions of U.S. greenhouse gas emissions while protecting the U.S. economy. 2. Creation of a major national research initiative to foster rapid development of sustainable energy technologies thereby stimulating new jobs and investment. In addition, the town of New Ipswich encourages New Hampshire citizens to work for emission reductions within their communities, and we ask our Selectmen to consider the appointment of a voluntary energy committee to recommend local steps to save energy and reduce emissions. The record of this vote on this article shall be transmitted to the New Hampshire Congressional Delegation, to the President of the United States, and to declared candidates for those offices.

Yes votes 738 No votes 493

ARTICLE 23: Negative vote to make the following improvements to Stowell Road 1. To complete the dirt section of roadway surface with asphalt pavement, from Cravens Way north for approximately 9 tenth of a mile to the turnaround. 2. Place three

street lights on Stowell Road with intersecting streets at the corners of Holly View Drive, Cedar Ridge Drive and Cravens Way and to raise and appropriate the amount of $93,102 for the purpose of paving Stowell Road and to raise and appropriate the amount of $612.00 to cover the first year cost of three street lights.

Yes votes 345 No votes 875

ARTICLE 24. Affirmative vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Sixteen Thousand Eight Hundred Nineteen Dollars ($16,819) for the purpose of funding the following regional health services: Monadnock Family Services $5,824; Home Healthcare, Hospice and Community Services $4,500; St. Joseph Community Services Inc. $1,495; American Red Cross $1,000; Host Homes $3,000; Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) $500. Milford Area Mediation $500.

Yes votes 990 No votes 249

ARTICLE 25. Affirmative vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-Eight Thousand Dollars ($28,000) to support the New Ipswich Library.

Yes votes 963 No votes 264

ARTICLE 26. Negative vote to forbid any further Town funding or continuation of any existing site plan revocation, enforcement actions or other litigation relating to all signs installed prior to posting of the 2005 amendment to Article 13, Section F of the New Ipswich Zoning Ordinance (Signs).

Yes votes 524 No votes 738

ARTICLE 27. Negative vote to terminate all litigation and enforcement actions against 1808 Corporation relating to its sign located on the 1808 Corporation property in New Ipswich, and direct the Selectmen to take whatever steps are necessary to comply with this Article.

Yes votes 525 No votes 743

Respectfully submitted,
Lucy Lemons, Town Clerk

2007 Treasurer's Accumulative Report

			December-07
CASH ON HAND JANUARY 1, 2007			**3,466,014.28**
TAX COLLECTOR			7,020,058.31
TOWN CLERK			826,211.57
TOWN OFFICE			697,331.87
TRUSTEE OF TRUST FUNDS			223,156.00
2006 TAX LIEN			134,553.49
	TD BANKNORTH		5,958.75
	CITIZENS BANK		524.05
	NHPDIP		48114.30
	TIA ACCOUNT		5498.80
	TD BANKNORTH MM		33,947.76
COLLECTED 2006 CHECKS			2,605.73
COLLECTED 2006 S/C & FEE'S			210.00
UNCOLLECTED CHECKS 2007			(2070.00)
UNCOLLECTED S/C 2007			(10.00)
FEE'S COLLECTED IN 2007			500.00
DEPOSIT SLIPS			(50.37)
WIRE FEE'S			(40.00)
POLICE PETTY CASH RETURNED			92.56
LESS BILLS PAID			(3,469,812.74)
PAID TO MRSD			(5,237,501.48)
2006 TAX LIEN			(134,553.49)
TD BANKNORTH		387,022.97	
CITIZENS BANK		41,792.88	
CITIZENS BANK TARGET		0.00	
NHPDIP		1,075,045.37	
TIA ACCOUNT		1,010,719.17	
TD BANKNORTH MM		1,106,159.00	
TOTALS		**3,620,739.39**	**3,620,739.39**
PETTY CASH:	TAX COLLECTOR	100.00	
	TOWN CLERK	25.00	
	TOWN OFFICE	100.27	
	TRANSFER STATION	31.25	
	TOTAL	**256.52**	

REVENUE BREAKDOWN - DECEMBER 31, 2007

TOWN OFFICE	STATE OF NH	HIGHWAY BLOCK GRANT	115,624.71
		ROOM & MEALS TAX	212,010.47
		REVENUE SHARING	60,172.00
	NH RETIREMENT	OVERPAYMENT	62.14
	STATE OF NH	FOREST FIRE REIMB	114.24
	FEMA FUNDS 4/07 FLOOD	ASHBY ROAD	1,977.00
	DEFERRED	FOX FARM ROAD	3,667.80
	" "	POOR FARM ROAD	2,928.75
		DAVIS VILLAGE ROAD	3,394.50
	" "	MT. VIEW DRIVE	14,837.25
	" "	WILLARD ROAD	2,692.50
	" "	ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS	2,966.28
		REVENUE	44,659.11
	BUILDING PERMIT		29,527.85
	OCCUPANCY PERMIT		2,125.00
	DEMO PERMIT		35.00
	DRIVEWAY PERMITS		505.00
	ELECTRICAL PERMITS		1,911.00
	FIREWORK PERMITS		195.00
	MECHANICAL PERMITS		370.00
	PLUMBING PERMIT		1,358.00
	ADDRESS LIST		45.00
	COPIES		1,033.45
	ELECTIONS	MRSD	73.94
	NOISE ORDINANCE		5.00
	POSTAGE	MEMORIAL DAY COMM.	65.19
	RENTAL OF TOWN PROP.	SAU	13,881.00
		SPED	4,200.00
		LAVINIA D. CLAY	4,800.00
	LEGAL	JEFF GRAY	17,000.00
	PARKS & REC. REIMB.		10,190.73
	POOL REIMBURSEMENT		9,030.93
	LGC	2004 FORD CROWN VIC	11,501.00
		2007 FORD CROWN VIC	1,007.80
	IRS	F-941 REF	18.23
	SALE OF TOWN PROP.		
	SC0TT ROBINSON	1997 CHEVY PICKUP	500.00
	ALDEN ENGINEERING CO.	LIEU OF TAXES	670.00
	COMCAST	CABLE FRAN. FEE	13,010.65

	INTERNET	OVERPAYMENT	48.96
	COBRA INSURANCE	D LEEL	1,961.37
	CONS. COMMITTEE	REIMB.	300.00
	REDFIELD HOMES		192.00
	ICMA RETIREMENT INS.	MARY FORTIER	623.56
	IRVING OIL	REIMB. ON CONTRACTS	569.85
	MASCENIC REG. SCHOOL	AUTOMOTIVE SAFETY CK	144.00
		REIMB. LIGHTS/HEATING	8,327.98
	TOWN CLERK	REIMB. ON CONVENTION	249.00
	OFFICE DEPOT	OVERPAYMENT	346.87
ANIMAL CONTROL	KENNEL FEE		360.00
ASSESSOR	BLOTTER BOOK		85.00
	HEWITT PACKARD	PRINTER REIMB.	125.00
EMER. MGT.	VOLUNTEER NH	GRANT	9,000.00
FIRE	OIL BURNER INSPECTION		210.00
	FIRE REIMBURSEMENT	JAMES ANTOS	100.00
		RUSS HERTRICH - A GAR	200.00
	FIRE ACT GRANT	2007 ARTICLE # 16	41,379.00
	STATE OF NH	KENNEY ROAD	320.92
	INSURANCE REPORTS	CHOICEPOINT	25.00
HEALTH	THE MASIELLO GROUP	PERRY RD CLEANUP	1,857.30
HIGHWAY	TOWN OF GREENVILLE		805.56
	CULVERTS		396.00
	PARTS ASSOCIATES	REFUND PAID TWICE	316.80
	MJS METALS	SALE OF METALS	426.00
	PUBLIC SERVICE OF NH		30.81
	DOBLES CHEVROLET	REIMBURSEMENT	35.28
	CULVERTS	HUBBARD POND ROAD	3,200.00
		POWERS/RINDGE	375.00
	E W SLEEPER	REFUND	57.90
	HOWARD FAIRFIELD	REFUND	45.02
PLANNING BOARD	REGS		30.00
	MAP UPDATES		287.00
	SUBDIV. FEES		7,092.21

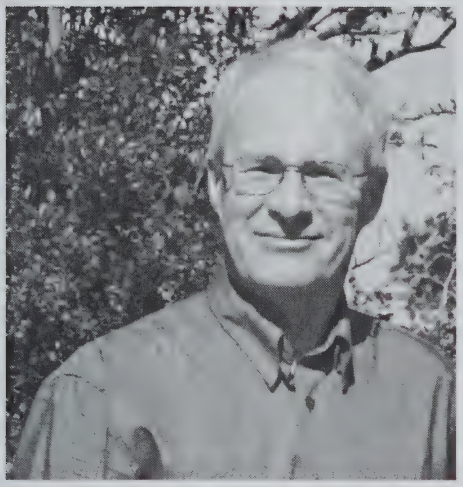
	POSTAGE		2,308.59
	LEGAL		2541.75
	AL TRAFFIE	5 & 5 LLC -REVIEW CORRES.	96.00
	BUILDERS LAND & TRUST		92.50
POLICE	PISTOL PERMITS		690.00
	INSURANCE REPORTS		1,220.25
	J-P DISTRICT COURT		2,350.00
	NH COURT WITNESS FEE		817.15
	DUBLIN PROSECUTOR	2006	1,084.00
		2007	5,076.00
	POLICE DETAIL	VERIZON	600.00
		MRSD	2,185.88
		EAST COAST CABLE	212.00
		PSNH	384.00
		TOWN OF HOLLIS	212.00
	VEST GRANT	OJP 310	234.99
	FALSE ALARM CALLS	NI MARKET	200.00
TRUSTEES TRUST FUNDS	2004 ARTICLE # 18		70,000.00
	2006 ARTICLE # 20		30,821.00
	2007 ARTICLE # 16		2,200.00
	2007 CRUISER		12,660.00
	2007 ARTICLE # 11		22,475.00
	TRANSFER STATION		85,000.00
TRANSFER STATION	EASTERN PROPANE		11.66
WELFARE	PRESENT YEAR		
	PAST YEARS		7,983.62
ZBA	REGS		6.00
	APPLICATION FEES		275.00
	ADVERT. NOTICES		455.00
	POSTAGE		605.57
TOTAL			920,487.87

DECEMBER 2007 **ESCROW OR ROAD BONDS HELD BY TREASURER**

ACCOUNT NO:	NAME	BEG. BALANCE	OPENED	RELEASED	BALANCE
ROAD BONDS					
9730379579	WILMA J BROOKS	28,111.00	01/05/06	06/25/07	-
9730375395	HBC-THAYER RD	22,000.00	01/07/02	06/25/07	-
9730377903	SAARI EXC-DEER RUN	19,470.00	08/20/04		20,774.02
9730833187	D SOMERO-SK VEN LLC	10,000.00	06/03/05	11/13/07	-
9730379503	TONI-CEDAR RIDGE/USA	7,700.00	12/01/05		8,075.31
9730379545	TONI-DRSHOMES/CEDAR RIDGE	7,727.78	12/01/05		8,104.45
97308350000	TONI-USA-CD RDG-LOT1020	7,600.00	04/27/06		7,902.08
CONSERVATION FUNDS:					
200016022	CC GEN FUND SAV	5,001.01			
	BALANCE OF 06 BUDGET	986.62			
	PD TO: EDWARD C GOODRICH	(1,900.00)			
	PD TO PETERBOROUGH MARBLE AND GRANITE	(600.00)			
	PD TO: TREAS. STATE OF NH	(402.00)			
	PD TO PETERBOROUGH MARBLE	(660.00)			
	PD TO: ECOSYSTEMS MGMT. CON.	(1,068.75)			
	INTEREST EARNED	7.30			
	BALANCE AS OF 12/31/07	1,364.16			
36283021	CC GEN FUND CD	9,514.15			
	INTEREST EARNED	358.58			
	BALANCE AS OF 12/31/07	9,872.73			
200016415	CC CURRENT USE SAV	12,385.71			
	INTEREST EARNED	12.81			
	2007 CURRENT USE FUNDS	50,000.00			
9730837915	6/22/07 TRANSFER TO NEW ACC	62,407.24			
	INTEREST EARNED	1,460.63			
	BALANCE AS OF 12/31/07	63,867.87			
5283034	CC CURRENT USE CD	116,561.15			
	INTEREST EARNED	5,842.54			
	BALANCE AS OF 12/31/07	122,403.69			
752976	NUSSDORFER FUND	303.05			
	INTEREST EARNED	0.76			
	BALANCE AS OF 12/31/07	303.81			

9721132390	**REV. PARK & REC. FUND**	BEGINNING BALANCE	8,651.42
	INCOME	BASKETBALL	4,265.00
	PETERBOROUGH REC DEPT.	REFEREE'S	425.00
	DONATIONS: CHILDRENS FAIR		300.00
	RICKY CLARK		150.00
	FISHING DERBY		625.00
	FRIENDS OF RECREATION		129.81
EXPENSES:			
REFEREE'S:	HENRY AGONIS		(50.00)
	MELINDA BUCKLEY		(35.00)
	MIKE CONLIN		(25.00)
	PETER EISEN		(250.00)
	DANA GLOW		(300.00)
	ROBERT MCARTHUR		(75.00)
	MADISON MAREK		(160.00)
	TYLER MILBERT		(450.00)
	CRAIG MOORE		(50.00)
	KEVIN RUTLEDGE		(50.00)
	MELISSA STEADMAN		(100.00)
	HUDSON TROPHY		(605.00)
	NEW ENGLAND SILK SCREEN/FISHING T-SHIRTS		(450.00)
	PETERBOROUGH REC DEPT.		(300.00)
	K & M ENTERPRISES	T-SHIRTS	(1,574.70)
	FAIR PLAY		(337.07)
	DEPT. OF SAFETY - BACKGROUND CHECKS		(255.00)
	RINDGE REC. DEPT.		(100.00)
	MICHAEL CONLIN	REF EQUIPMENT	(124.96)
	JODI FANELLI	REIMB.	(70.00)
	ANN FAFARD	REIMB.	(35.00)
	INTEREST EARNED		16.08
	GRANITE STATE CONCRETE	SKATEBOARD	(3,850.00)
	CULLIGAN		(240.00)
	CORRECTION OF CULLIGAN TAKEN FROM WRONG ACCT.		240.00
	BALANCE 12/31/07		5,315.58
	REVOLVING POOL FUND	BEGINNING BALANCE	8,091.81
9721132390	INCOME: SWIMMING LESSONS		6,029.00
	SALE OF PEPSI		649.90
	SWIM TEAM SUITS		888.00
	ADULT SWIM LESSONS		35.00
EXPENSES:	CK PD TO CULLIGAN		(345.50)
	CK PD TO AMERICAN RED CROSS		(212.50)
	CK PD TO CHRISTINE LAGE -PEPSI		(530.55)
	CK PD TO C LAGE - SUPPLIES		(44.97)
	CK PD TO C LAGE - YR END PARTY		(112.96)
	CK PD TO BLUE DOLPHIN POOLS		(2,351.45)
	CK PAYABLE TO WARDWELL & SONS		(2,150.00)
	CK PD TO JET CONCRETE		(3,150.00)
	CK PAYABLE TO - LIFEGUARD STORE		(764.50)
	TO CORRECT ERROR OF 12/5/07 TO PAY TONI/FOR CULLIGAN CHECK OF 6/6/07		(240.00)
	INTEREST EARNED		20.71
	INTEREST EARNED		
	BALANCE AS OF 12/31/07		5,811.99

TRUST FUNDS



It is with regret that we report that Trustee Jim Starbuck died in July as the result of a helicopter accident. Jim was a resident in New Ipswich for five years and had decided it was time to give something back to the community when he offered to serve on the Trustees of the Trust Funds committee. As an engineer, he brought a keen sense of organization and discipline to the committee's work. He will be missed.

Lisa Flannery was appointed as Trustee to serve until Jim's term expires in March 2010.

Your trustees have adopted an investment policy. The first objective is safety of principal with the second objective being liquidity of the funds meaning that money should be available as needed by the town. The third objective is income growth. To this end, we have consolidated our investments in Citizens Bank, which offers a special program for community trust funds. This program provides collateralization for the town's funds to provide safety; the funds are readily available and offer a better interest rate than the previous investments.

Please review the following schedule of the various trust funds administered by your trustees.

Our meetings are open to the public. The dates and times are posted. Please feel free to attend.

Respectfully submitted,
Trustees of the Trust Funds

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF NEW IPSWICH, TTF ON DECEMBER 31, 2007

					PRINCIPAL					INCOME				
Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	%	Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Cash Gains or Losses	With-drawals	Balance Year End	Balance Beginning Year	Income During Year Amount	Expended During Year	Balance Year End	Grand Total
1973	NI General Trust	General	Citizens CAP	0	125,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	125,000.00	459.68	4,471.54	0.00	4,931.22	129,931.22
1963	Burton	Miscellaneous	Citizens CAP	0	27,873.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	27,873.30	12,969.08	1,450.38	400.00	14,019.46	41,892.76
1963	Spaulding	Miscellaneous	Citizens CAP	0	26,528.93	0.00	0.00	0.00	26,528.93	37,209.88	2,271.71	0.00	39,481.59	66,010.52
1973	Stearns 1st Split	Miscellaneous	Citizens CAP	0	29,645.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	29,645.07	45,301.05	2,692.11	1,499.00	46,494.16	76,139.23
1977	Port Hill/Town Pound	Miscellaneous	Citizens CAP	0	296.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	296.08	674.86	34.62	0.00	709.48	1,005.56
1925	E M Barrett School	Miscellaneous	Citizens CAP	0	3,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,000.00	625.29	129.21	0.00	754.50	3,754.50
1918	Jonas Nutting Post Sentinel	Miscellaneous	Citizens CAP	0	192.53	0.00	0.00	0.00	192.53	68.55	9.32	0.00	77.87	270.40
1973	L Kangas Post	Miscellaneous	Citizens CAP	0	705.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	705.75	299.21	35.81	0.00	335.02	1,040.77
1824	Ministerial Fund	Miscellaneous	Citizens CAP	0	1,314.68	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,314.68	444.26	62.69	0.00	506.95	1,821.63
1906	George Hubbard	Miscellaneous	Citizens CAP	0	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	9,954.44	390.42	0.00	10,344.86	11,344.86
1959	NI Cemetery	Cemetery	Citizens CAP	0	40,600.75	1,950.00	0.00	212.88	42,337.87	-11,645.86	1,054.81	0.00	-10,591.05	31,746.82
1906	Cem Perpetual Care	Cemetery	Citizens CAP	0	41,169.92	0.00	0.00	0.00	41,169.92	6,128.69	1,685.78	0.00	7,814.47	48,984.39
1900	B Smith Cemetery	Cemetery	Citizens CAP	0	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	11,346.91	440.07	0.00	11,786.98	12,786.98
n/a	Sentinel Fund	Cemetery	Citizens CAP	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,193.66	78.18	0.00	2,271.84	2,271.84
n/a	School Fund	School/scholarsh	Citizens CAP	0	1,351.72	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,351.72	4.96	48.35	0.00	53.31	1,405.03
	Totals				**299,678.73**	**1,950.00**	**0.00**	**212.88**	**301,415.85**	**116,034.66**	**14,855.00**	**1,899.00**	**128,990.66**	**430,406.51**
	CAPITAL RESERVE													
1995	Fire Dept Cap Resv	Capital Reserve	Citizens CAP	0	61,349.88	35,000.00	0.00	70,000.00	26,349.88	38,580.29	2,013.74	30,821.00	9,773.03	36,122.91
1973	Police Dept Cap Resv	Capital Reserve	Citizens CAP	0	43,707.34	7,905.00	0.00	12,660.00	38,952.34	7,136.73	1,662.13	0.00	8,798.86	47,751.20
1996	Hwy Dept Cap Resv	Capital Reserve	Citizens CAP	0	78,292.52	35,000.00	0.00	22,475.00	90,817.52	20,773.64	4,464.98	0.00	25,238.62	116,056.14
1994	Landfill Cap Resv	Capital Reserve	Citizens CAP	0	24,755.84	0.00	0.00	0.00	24,755.84	1,876.53	949.21	0.00	2,825.74	27,581.58
1994	Reval Cap Resv	Capital Reserve	Citizens CAP	0	0.00	24,500.00	0.00	0.00	24,500.00	8,616.11	966.35	0.00	9,582.46	34,082.46
1997	250th Anniversary Cap Resv	Capital Reserve	Citizens CAP	0	4,933.32	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,933.32	556.34	195.67	0.00	752.01	5,685.33
2007	Land Conservation Cap. Resv	Capital Reserve	Citizens CAP	0	0.00	50,000.00	0.00	0.00	50,000.00	0.00	1,345.45	0.00	1,345.45	51,345.45
1999	Fire Protect Equip	Capital Reserve	Citizens CAP	0	23,026.00	5,000.00	0.00	2,200.00	25,826.00	3,629.19	1,035.70	0.00	4,664.89	30,490.89
2003	Transfer Station	Expendable	Various	0	7,231.89	81,040.50	0.00	85,000.00	3,272.39	1,927.74	1,514.94	426.00	3,016.68	6,289.07
1999	Expendable Landfill	Expendable	Citizens CAP	0	34,816.57	0.00	0.00	0.00	34,816.57	2,936.09	1,345.54	0.00	4,281.63	39,098.20
2007	Building Maint. Exp. Trust	Expendable	Citizens CAP	0	0.00	20,000.00	0.00	0.00	20,000.00	0.00	538.19	0.00	538.19	20,538.19
2000	Recreation Maintenance	Parks & Recreati	Citizens CAP	0	4,000.00	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	9,000.00	589.31	298.13	0.00	887.44	9,887.44
1982	Pool Maintenance	Parks & Recreati	Citizens CAP	0	25,057.02	4,000.00	0.00	0.00	29,057.02	9,107.32	1,325.30	0.00	10,432.62	39,489.64
	Totals				**307,170.38**	**267,445.50**	**0.00**	**192,335.00**	**382,280.88**	**95,729.29**	**17,655.33**	**31,247.00**	**82,137.62**	**464,418.50**
	Grand Total				**606,849.11**	**269,395.50**	**0.00**	**192,547.88**	**683,696.73**	**211,763.95**	**32,510.33**	**33,146.00**	**211,128.28**	**894,825.01**

n/a	SAU 63 Schools	Capital Reserve	Citizens CAP	0	75,000.00	75,000.00	0.00	0.00	150,000.00	2,137.98	3,117.05	0.00	5,255.03	155,255.03

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT
FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007

	Total Receipts	Less Refunds	Submitted to Treasurer
Motor Vehicles Permits	801,082.57	476.00	800,606.57
Titles	2,522.00		2,522.00
Marriage License Fees	1,305.00		1,305.00
Vital Records	1,176.00		1,176.00
Municipal Agent Fees	14,029.50		14,029.50
Dredge and Fill Permits	40.00		40.00
UCC Filing Fees	1,530.00		1,530.00
Forfeiture Fees, Animal Control	125.00		125.00
Filing Fees	12.00		12.00
Dog Licenses	4,314.50		4,314.50
License to Sell Guns	25.00		25.00
Utilities	50.00		50.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS	826,211.57	476.00	825,735.57

There have been no changes in the Town Clerk's office this year. The town will be going on line soon and hopefully by September of 2008 you will be able to register heavier vehicles up to 26,000 pounds through this office.

This year there have been changes in our town government. Please get involved.

Thank you for supporting the Town Clerk/Municipal Agent Program.

Respectfully submitted,
Lucy Lemons, Town Clerk
Cindy Lussier, Deputy Town Clerk

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

2007 once again presented many challenges and opportunities for the Board of Selectmen.

After having been elected by the voters, we welcomed Selectman Richard 'Dutch' Stauffeneker back as selectman after having served the previous vacant position. Your votes have allowed for the board to continue in stride pursuing the goals and objectives that had been developed.

Prior to highlighting the 2007 year, I would like to take the opportunity to recognize Lucy Lemons, our Town Clerk and Municipal Agent, who has decided to retire. For 30 years Lucy has fulfilled the duties of not only the Town Clerk, but also had simultaneously served as the Tax Collector. Lucy began working for the town at the former New Ipswich Electric Light Company and has continued working for the town in her many roles. We wish to thank Lucy for her dedication and service to the town and wish her a well-deserved retirement.

Selectmen worked diligently this year in focusing on improving our town roads, as these are by far the largest issue that we hear about from our residents. The board has developed a 20 year plan that will allow the reconstruction of our currently paved roads. As the first step to achieving this goal, we have put forth a warrant article this year for you the voters to approve, for the reconstruction of approximately two miles of road. This year the highway crew did a tremendous job of rebuilding approximately two miles of the gravel portions of Timbertop and Hubbard Pond Roads, including ditching and installation of culverts for better control of storm water. Gravel materials from the town transfer station property was crushed and processed by an outside vendor, which will provide enough material to rebuild approximately five miles of gravel roads. Our goal is to continue forth on this path.

Several of our town roads were damaged during the April flooding this year. The board worked to retain an engineering firm to design the necessary repairs and a contractor to make the necessary repairs, which have been completed. Seventy-Five percent of these costs will be reimbursed by FEMA, 12.5% by the State and the town is required to cover the balance of the unexpected cost.

Improvements at Memorial Field continued this year with the generous help of volunteers, local businesses and prudent fiscal management of the funds approved by voters last year. The pool house received a new concrete floor slab that was desperately needed for safety and sanitary reasons and we will be having the exterior doors replaced in the spring. The long awaited skateboard park was constructed with volunteer labor and a generous donor provided the skate park equipment. The baseball fields and basketball court have had new chain link fencing installed and the perimeter of the park is in the process of having granite post and wood rail fencing installed.

This year Jonathan Sawyer was hired on a part-time basis to oversee the maintenance of all town owned buildings and to develop a facility maintenance plan so that our buildings and mechanical systems are serviced on a regular basis so as to maximize their efficiency and lifespan.

The former SAU tenant area of building two at the town complex was tested and detected to have mold, which will need to be addressed. Currently the space is vacant. With the installation of the new roof, approved by the voters last year, this has alleviated the source of the problem that allowed the mold growth to generate. Through a generous donation offer from Gemini Electrical, a generator and electrical service upgrade has been installed at building two, which will allow the police department and the town office complex phone system to stay operational during any power outage. Administrator Knowlton coordinated through the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Department for inmate labor to paint the interior of the town office building and the removal of the carpeting. The new carpeting has recently been installed and the town office renovation has been completed.

In June, the town employees voted to disband the collective bargaining unit that had previously been organized in 2004. This was a positive step for both the employees and the town. Our employees should be applauded for their dedication to the town and to their work.

You, the voters, approved the proposed 2007 budget and we ask for your continued trust and support for the proposed 2008 budget that department heads, Finance Advisory Committee, Town Administrator and Selectmen have worked on for several months to minimize the impact, and still provide the services required of our growing community.

In closing, we would like to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all department heads, town employees, volunteers, board and committee members for their dedication and support to our town.

Respectfully Submitted,
David S. Lage, Chairman

TOWN ADMINISTRATOR

The Town of New Ipswich had another busy year. The voters approved the requested budget of $2,239,557. With this encouragement the Board of Selectmen moved forward with improvements in much needed areas.

A brochure was developed and mailed to taxpayers early in the year encouraging voters to attend the deliberative session. The flyer explained the facts behind the budget and gave voters the opportunity to read the warrant articles prior to voting day. Selectman Lage enhanced voter information at the deliberative session through a power point presentation.

Clean up day was a huge success. The volunteers who helped pick up litter along the roadside were awarded a grant of 800 daffodils. Mary Fortier strategically placed these bulbs around town; watch for them this spring.

In April the town was hit with a surprise flood causing much damage to the roads. The basement of the town hall flooded creating a challenge for emergency services. Volunteers spent hours vacuuming and cleaning while emergency personnel strategically planned the hours and days ahead. An enormous thank you is due to the Firefighters, Emergency Management Team, Police Department and especially the Highway Department who worked for weeks after the storm repairing the washed out roads.

This year the town is moving toward compliance with GASB 34. This is an accounting standard which the town should have adopted in 2003. GASB 34 requires all government entities to do a full accounting of all capital assets including infrastructure; this will provide an overall financial picture of the entity rather than a year-by-year review. A new three year auditing contract was signed this year with the audit firm of Plodzik & Sanderson.

The Energy Committee was formed this year at the direction of the voters. The committee meets regularly and is working toward their charge of finding ways to save energy throughout the town.

I have a personal thank you to the volunteer firefighters who allowed me to join with them on a live-burn training session in November. They geared me up in those heavy clothes, put me into the site of a 2nd floor fire and gave me a glimpse of the tremendous work they all do to protect the town. Thank you all for the time and talent you offer this town as volunteers.

In early December the Town was awarded a $100,800 grant to install a sidewalk from Central School to Boynton School on the south side of Route 124. The work should begin in 2008. The grant is designed to find ways to encourage children to walk and ride their bikes to school.

If you the voters continue to support the town, the town can continue to do great things. Thank you for the opportunity to be your Town Administrator

Respectfully submitted, Marie Knowlton, Town Administrator

TOWN AUDITOR

I performed my usual duties as your Town Auditor, which included, but are not limited to checking the income of the Tax Collector, Town Clerk and Town Office. I also check the important revenues of the departments, such as the trial balances, disbursements, etc. As you know, the town retains the services of a professional auditing company, which conducts a more complete audit at the end of the year.

It has been a pleasure to once again be able to serve as your Town Auditor.

Respectfully submitted,
Larry Ackerson

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

During 2007 we completed the data collection necessary for a revaluation. We are presently scheduled to complete the revaluation and assign new property values with an effective date of April 1, 2009. This revaluation was originally scheduled to be completed in 2008, but we have found that moving the effective date to 2009, we will save costs associated with certification by the Department of Revenue Administration.

In the 2008 warrant, we have asked for approval of a property tax exemption for low income persons who are deaf. This exemption is equal to the elderly exemption and is terminated when the person becomes eligible for the elderly exemption. In order to qualify, the applicant must provide documentation according to state statute. This will be of minimal cost to the Town, and we ask for your support.

Listed below is a summary of the property valuations used in the setting of the tax rate. We hope you will find this of interest.

Land valuation including current use	$162,567,812
Building valuation	$249,603,900
Veteran's tax credits	$ 108,500
Elderly exemptions	$ 2,338,600
Blind exemptions	$ 60,000

We want to thank Joanne Meshna, our esteemed and dedicated administrator, who has done an outstanding job this year for the Board of Assessors and all other boards in this Town. We would also like to thank the townspeople for their support throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,
James E. Coffey, Chairman

TAX COLLECTOR

Another year has come and gone and we welcome 2008 to hopefully be a prosperous one, mostly because we are voting in a new President.

2007 started off as a quiet tax season until October when the tax rate was set by the State and our tax rate went up $1.80, from $14.55 in 2006 to $16.35 in 2007. The increase hit all taxpayers equally in New Ipswich and everyone struggled to pay his or her portion. Our town also faced many foreclosures and bankruptcies due to a world of many increases all around. We all hope that these increases balance out for 2008.

As your third year Tax Collector I again met all the "important deadlines" that are involved with my job, which included sending out first and second half tax bills, a variety of legal notices, lien executions, and deeding. Additionally, I attended tax seminars, training courses, and my first tax convention. At the tax convention I was able to network with all the tax collectors in the surrounding towns along with meeting new faces. I also was overwhelmed with learning more RSA laws, along with Federal laws, all that were very important. I had a great time and became more knowledgeable of my job, which in return improved my service to the citizens of New Ipswich.

In closing, I want to thank Mary Fortier my Deputy Tax Collector. Mary has been such an added asset to our Town Offices with her amazing personality. You will always catch Mary working in my office Tuesday nights. Lastly, I want to say that I will miss Lucy Lemons as the Town Clerk at the Town Office. I will surely miss her presence, dry sense of humor, service and dedication.

Tax Hours: Monday through Thursday: 9:00am to 12:30pm & 1:30pm to 4:00pm Tuesday nights during tax season only: June/July & November/December.
taxcollector@townofnewipswich.org

Respectfully Submitted,
Amy Thibault, Tax Collector

TAX COLLECTOR'S UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS
AS OF 12/31/2007

	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002
Anderson,Nancy	1,224.20				
Blais, Timothy	3,419.80	1,775.13			
Byrne, Trudy	846.89				
Card, Patricia	135.84				
Farnum, Pearl	1,210.54				
Foringer, Kelly	2,596.67	2,633.35	2,581.05	2,207.91	406.59
Glavey, Cheryl	1,586.15				
Halloran, John	137.08				
Kane, Michael	2,471.65	2,866.55			
Lemons, Jodee	774.66	792.24			
Makoce Ikcewicasa Trust	3,318.35	2,452.72			
Marshall, Kenneth	3,060.74				
Morell, Darryl	1,286.35	1,316.12			
Newlinks Invest.LTD	5,223.55				
Pelletier, Gregory	1,621.82				
Rand, David	725.76				
Redling, Nancy	2,242.54				
Riley, Richard	2,551.15	2,610.88			
Smith, Greg	2,463.53				
St.Pierre, Albert		2,133.93			
Starcher, Alan	1,727.31				
Sullivan, Jeanne	1,031.79	1,055.49			
Thibault, Robert	675.87	191.62			
Timbertop Realty Trust	866.06	885.49			
Tuttle, Nathaniel	35.81				
Tuttle, Nathaniel	1,785.23				
Vaillancourt, Edward	642.41				
Vaillancourt, Gregg	670.19	685.06	565.02		
Vaillancourt, Maurice	1,321.94	1,371.71			
Wilkins, Stephen	1,180.33				
Williston, Donald	1,482.56	33.50			

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007

DEBITS

	2007	2006
UNCOLLECTED TAXES BEGINNING OF YEAR		
Property Taxes		367,702.58
Inventory Penalty		3,063.15
Land Use Change		65,625.82
Yield Taxes		1,369.99
TAXES COMMITTED		
Property Taxes	6,676,647.49	
Inventory Penalty		
Land Use Change	279,560.00	
Yield Taxes	2,861.95	
Gravel Tax	1,874.86	
OVERPAYMENT		
Refunds	35,908.97	50,358.81
TOTAL DEBITS	6,996,853.27	488,120.35

CREDITS

	2007	2006
REMITTED TO TREASURER		
Property Taxes	6,243,737.56	254,741.86
Land Use Change	249,580.00	50,225.82
Yield Taxes	1,190.95	1,248.53
Interest	6,308.22	19,336.64
Penalties	16,844.36	2,155.68
Gravel Tax	1,704.86	
Conversion To Lien		134,553.49
ABATEMENTS MADE		
Property Taxes	2,233.04	10,420.75
Land Use Change	6,500.00	15,400.00
Inventory Penalties	200.03	37.58
UNCOLLECTED TAXES END OF YEAR		
Property Taxes	432,588.40	
Land Use Change	29,980.00	
Yield Taxes	1,945.12	
Gravel Tax	170.00	
Inventory Penalties	3,870.73	
TOTAL CREDITS	6,996,853.27	488,120.35

DEBITS

	2006	2005	2004	2003
Unredeemed Liens Balance at Beginning of Fiscal Years		63,358.16	27,539.07	4,138.89
Liens Executed During Fiscal Year	134,553.49			
Interest & Costs Collected (After Lien Execution)	4,310.57	9,114.39	9,223.52	520.82
TOTAL DEBITS	138,864.06	72,472.55	36,762.59	4,659.71

CREDITS

	2006	2005	2004	2003
Redemptions	81,626.85	42,194.58	24,393.00	1,524.39
Interest & Costs Collected (After Lien Execution)	4,310.57	9,114.39	9,223.52	520.82
Unredeemed Liens Balance End of Year	52,926.64	21,163.58	3,146.07	2,614.50
TOTAL CREDITS	138,864.06	72,472.55	36,762.59	4,659.71

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

The past year was another busy one for the town's Emergency Management Department.

- In March of 2007 approval of the Hazardous Mitigation Plan by FEMA. The board of selectman voted to adopt the plan on March 20, 2007. This document along with our Emergency Operation Plan is required to receive disaster relief and federal grants.

- Work on the All Medical Hazard Emergency Response Plan continues with surrounding communities, the Department of Health and Human Services and the Monadnock Community Hospital. This plan will be completed in 2008.

- In April New Hampshire experienced the third 100-year flood in 18 months. New Ipswich was impacted with flooded homes and damage to many roads. Members of the New Ipswich CERT responded and assisted Emergency Management by filling sand bags and doing traffic control. They also wet vacuumed one of the emergency management offices that was flooded. They helped in many ways. Thank You.

- The flood caused damage to our roads with a price tag in excess of $80,000. As of this report we have received FEMA reimbursement of over $28,000 with more monies expected. FEMA reimburses 75% of the cost and the State of New Hampshire splits the remaining 25%.

- The New Ipswich Citizen Emergency Response Team has participated in other community events. They have become a valued part of the office of Emergency Management. The state Citizen Corps office has given a trailer to CERT for use to support their mission.

I would like to thank Deputy Director Richard Lehtonen, Communications Officers George Standley and Wil Birch, Animals in Disaster Coordinator Lora dePlante, and Volunteer and Certified Coordinator Patricia Lage, for their hours of dedication and help.

The Emergency Management Office has preparedness information for our citizens available at our office. We drill most Tuesday evenings at 7:30 and invite anyone to stop in. We are in need of volunteers to assist in our mission of being prepared to help our citizens in time of need. Our email address is EmergencyMgmt@TownOfNewIpswich.net

Respectfully submitted
James L. Hicks, Director

FIRE DEPARTMENT

2007 has again proved to be an excellent year for the fire department and we have many things to be proud of. Our new tanker arrived at the beginning of summer. With the addition of this truck our department is very well equipped and barring any unusual growth spurts we should not have to purchase any large pieces of equipment for several years.

We continued to grow as three of our Explorers graduated to the regular department Congratulations Mike Wamsley, Tony Reeves and Andrew Cain.We also welcomed Brian Murphy, Tony Annese and Jurg Zwahlen to the department.

Our Explorer program is continuing to grow, as we were able to replace the three that graduated and also added 4 new members bringing our total to ten. This is a tremendous program open to all boys and girls that have finished the eighth grade and are 14 years of age. This summer three members spent a week at the N.H. Fire Academy. This is a 3-year program and when finished members become state certified firefighters.

The members of the department built another addition to the station as the new tanker would not fit. Trucks are built a lot bigger than they were 35 years ago when the building was first constructed.

A major step was taken this year with the creation of the position of Administrative Assistant. Mary Fish, who also happens to be our Inspector, has done an excellent job in this position. This should postpone the hiring of a fulltime chief for several years unless we have unexpected growth.

Members Pete Bergeron and Pete Gedenberg were both promoted to Lieutenant.

For the first time in many years the department was given two buildings to train with and then burn down. This is a tremendous training tool as nothing works like the real thing.

The members of the department continue to train regularly so we can bring you the residents the best possible service when you are in need.

Just as a reminder when in need of a burning permit you can get them from the highway garage Monday-Friday 7:00 am - 3:30 pm and at the fire station on Saturdays mornings from 8:00 am - 10:00 pm. There is no one available on Sundays or holidays so please plan accordingly.

On behalf of the officers and members of the New Ipswich Fire Rescue Department. I want to thank you the residents for your continued support.

Respectfully Submitted
David A. Leel, Fire Chief

Incidents Responded to in 2007

Automatic Fire alarms	49
Electrical Problems	14
Brush/Grass	12
Chimney/Furnace	10
Tires, Mailboxes, ect.	12
Automobile Fires	05
Structures	03
Hazardous Material	02
Automobile Accidents	32
Medical/Rescue	45
Mutual Aid Given	24
Water Issues	15
Miscellaneous	08

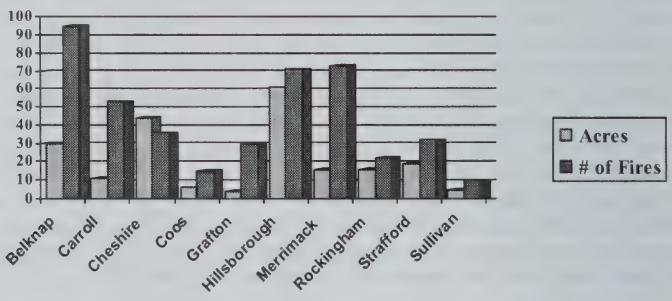
FOREST FIRE WARDEN AND STATE FOREST RANGER

Your local Forest Fire Warden, Fire Department, and the State of New Hampshire Division of Forests & Lands work collaboratively to reduce the risk and frequency of wildland fires in New Hampshire. To help us assist you, please contact your local Forest Fire Warden or Fire Department to determine if a permit is required before doing ANY outside burning. Under State law (RSA 227-L:17) a fire permit is required for all outside burning unless the ground is completely covered with snow. The New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services also prohibits the open burning of household waste. Citizens are encouraged to contact the local fire department or DES at 1-800-498-6868 or www.des.state.nh.us for more information. Safe open burning requires diligence and responsibility. Help us to protect New Hampshire's forest resources. For more information please contact the Division of Forests & Lands at (603) 271-2214, or online at www.nhdfl.org.

Fire activity was very busy during the spring of the 2007, particularly late April into early May. As the forests and fields greened up in later May the fire danger decreased. However, a very dry late summer created very high fire danger again from August into September, with fire danger reaching very high on Labor Day weekend. Even with the dry conditions, the acreage burned was less than half that of 2006. The largest forest fire during the 2007 season burned approximately 26 acres on the side of Wantastiquet Mountain in Chesterfield during the month of May. Our statewide system of 16 fire lookout towers is credited with keeping most fires small and saving several structures this season due to their quick and accurate spotting capabilities. Many homes in New Hampshire are located in the wildland urban interface, which is the area where homes and flammable wild land fuels intermix. Several of the fires during the 2007 season threatened structures, a constant reminder that forest fires burn more than just trees. Homeowners should take measures to prevent a wildland fire from spreading to their home. Precautions include keeping your roof and gutters clear of leaves and pine needles, and maintaining adequate green space around your home free of flammable materials. Additional information and homeowner recommendations are available at www.firewise.org. Please help Smokey Bear, your local fire department and the state's Forest Rangers by being fire wise and fire safe!

2007 FIRE STATISTICS
(All fires reported as of November 8, 2007)
(Figures do not include fires on the White Mountain National Forest)

COUNTY STATISTICS		
County	**Acres**	**# of Fires**
Belknap	30	95
Carroll	11	53
Cheshire	44	36
Coos	6	15
Grafton	4	30
Hillsborough	61	71
Merrimack	16	73
Rockingham	16	22
Strafford	19	32
Sullivan	5	10



CAUSES OF FIRES REPORTED			Total Fires	Total Acres
Arson	5	**2007**	437	212
Debris	197	**2006**	500	473
Campfire	38	**2005**	546	174
Children	22	**2004**	482	147
Smoking	41	**2003**	374	100
Railroad	5			
Equipment	3			
Lightning	7			
Misc.*	119 (*Misc.: power lines, fireworks, electric fences, etc.)			

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CEMETERY TRUSTEES

The Cemetery Committee again thanks the townspeople for passing the cemetery budget for 2007. The works done on cemetery maintenance and projects have resulted in numerous comments of appreciation from towns people and visitors to our cemeteries. Without the Town's support for our budget, we would not be able to do the improvements that have been done but there is more work to be done.

In 2007, we had 9 internments, including two WWII veterans and sadly one infant. Burial lot sales totaled ten, primarily in the South Cemetery. Beginning this year, included in the cost of lots, the Sexton will install granite stone corner markers. The Internment and Burial Lot fee schedule remains the same for the new year.

The biggest project this year was the dredging of the Center Cemetery pond, which had been slowly disappearing with the amount of silt that had been accumulating over hundreds of years. The whole pond was dredged and regarded. Banks were shaped and the gate control was replaced. The pond now looks like a pond and should be a better source for water for fire protection and a better environment for the fishing derby.

Again, this year we continued the work to re-level memorial stones in our cemeteries, especially the older memorials that have little or no foundations. This year the focus was in the Center Cemetery west of the pond up to the stonewall before the Balch Memorial Section. A significant amount of work was done in straightening up these memorial stones. All the severe "leaners" were corrected.

For 2007, our cemetery maintenance care budget remained the same as in 2006, and because we varied the mowing schedules for each of the cemeteries, based on the type of grass and soil of each of the cemeteries, we were able to get additional mowing for Center Cemetery including the Balch Memorial Section without an increase in cost. This again resulted in cemeteries having the appearance of a "fresher mowed look" throughout the year.

In reviewing work and projects for 2008, the Cemetery Trustees have acquired contractor bids this fall for several projects. The primary projects planned are for providing fencing along the south and westerly sides of the South Cemetery Section D, tree removal in all cemeteries and brush clearing the section west of the flagpoles in the Center Cemetery.

Respectively submitted,
Jay Hopkins, Chairman

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

In May 2007 I was given the opportunity by the Board of Selectmen to oversee the Highway Department as the interim Road Agent. From that time, until January 2008, I believe that the Highway department made great strides in enhancing its effectiveness.

During the summer months of 2007, many of the town's culverts were cleaned and repaired. Ditching was completed on many of the roads and Timbertop Road and Hubbard Pond Road were completely rebuilt. In 2007 the employees of the Highway Department attended numerous hours of in-service training.

The continued maintenance of the town roads and ditches is vital to minimizing the impact caused by heavy rains and flooding that we have been experiencing over the last few years.

Respectfully submitted,
Garrett Chamberlain, Interim Road Agent

BUILDING INSPECTOR

The year 2007 was not much different than 2006 with the number of building permits issued. There were a total of 101 permits with 36 new homes, 12 condominium units and one 12-unit multi family building. We are in a generally slow period at the end of this year and I think the winter will be very slow due to energy costs and the slowing home sales.

I would like to thank everyone for their cooperation and patience with my department as it continues to evolve and become more efficient. I have added this year the need for additional permits for electric, plumbing, mechanical systems and gas piping. The need to know who is doing this work is a great safety concern and can only be controlled by the permit process.

There is a new code cycle this year and I will be enforcing the NEC 2008 as of July 1st. There are also new state laws covering gas piping that will be enforced as of January 2008.

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
New Homes	32	22	41	35	36
Multi units	0	0	0	2	1
Attached condos	0		0	1	18
Misc.	96	78	75	68	48

Respectfully submitted,
James Shultz, Building Inspector

PLANNING BOARD

The Planning Board had another busy year beginning with the passage of four land use articles that have helped to clarify our ordinances. A total of 9 subdivision applications, 3 lot line adjustment applications and 2 site plan review applications were processed, and 38 new lots were approved. The Board also bid farewell to Jonathan Sawyer, who completed his term, and we welcomed Bentti Hoiska as a new member. We thank Jonathan for his faithful participation and thoughtful help with resolving many items of concern. During the year we also appointed Jay Lewis to replace Jacqui Rager who was unable to continue.

The town's Master Plan had a new chapter on open space added and the subdivision regulations had the specifications for new streets revised. A special thank you to Jay Lewis who collected much of the necessary design data and assembled it for the Board. The Board also updated the Capital Improvements Program (CIP) completed by the CIP Committee. We thank the entire committee for their work.

A final item that we reviewed was the Souhegan River Watershed Plan, which was completed under the guidance of the Nashua Area Regional Planning Commission with the participation of citizens from all the affected towns. We thank New Ipswich resident Kleta Dudley for her efforts on behalf of completing the plan and presenting it to us.

A special thanks goes to our secretary, Joanne Meshna, who does her best to keep us moving forward and focused, and to you the public, for your support of our 2007 land use articles.

The members of the Planning Board often hold divergent views on many issues, but all possess a desire to make New Ipswich, a great place to live, an even better one. Although what may appear as competing views by members of a seven-person board to be a problem, it most often results in a positive outcome with greater acceptance.

We look forward to serving the town in 2008 and welcome new and returning members. We meet on the first and third Wednesday of each month along with some other dates. All our meetings are noticed and we welcome public attendance and comment.

Respectfully submitted,
James E. Coffey, Chairman

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

The New Ipswich Zoning Board of Adjustment (ZBA) works with home and business owners, builders, and land developers to help them achieve their goals while meeting the requirements of the zoning ordinance. The ordinance serves the town's desire to both facilitate and regulate growth, without compromising New Ipswich's rural character, scenic beauty, and fragile historical and environmental resources. This is not always an easy process, although 2007 was a relatively peaceful year in zoning terms. The ZBA approved three special exceptions, one equitable waiver of dimensional requirement, one appeal of an administrative decision, and two variances—both related to wetlands; one variance application is still pending. The revisions to the steep slopes and wetland ordinances, approved by the 2006 Town Meeting, clarified the approval process. After meeting with both the Conservation Commission and the Planning Board to discuss ways to improve communication between the three land use boards, we decided to try to conduct combined site visits for all applications. The ZBA now makes routine site visits before any hearing (unless the issue does not merit one); frequently members of other boards attend these site visits, giving us their valuable insights.

David Cotzin, Wendy Freeman, Greg Hanselman, and Toni Lovell continued as permanent members of the ZBA this year, supplemented by alternate member Suzan Schafer Meiszner. We are operating, however, with a slim margin of alternate members. As members serve out their three-year terms, we need a larger pool of alternates who are essentially members-in-training. Alternates attend meetings regularly, learn the ins and outs of the Zoning Ordinance as well as the procedures of the Board, and become able to step in when a regular member cannot be present. If you are interested in becoming involved as an alternate, please contact any member of the ZBA for more information. This is your chance to find out what is happening in your town and to have an impact on its future at a crucial time in the history of New Ipswich.

Joanne Meshna's excellent service as Secretary to the Board cannot be overestimated. Throughout 2007, she ensured that the workings of the ZBA proceeded smoothly. We are grateful for her expertise in land use matters and for her ability to serve both the Board and the public efficiently and professionally. Small towns with all-volunteer boards are highly dependent on the knowledge and good will of their town employees—we are indeed fortunate to have Joanne in New Ipswich.

The ZBA meets at 7:30 pm on the first Thursday of every month at the Town Office. When necessary and appropriate, the Board schedules additional meetings to meet the needs of applicants. Since additional meetings are unbudgeted, the applicant covers their cost. To make appointments with the ZBA and to get any additional information about New Ipswich's zoning regulations and procedures, please contact Joanne Meshna during regular working hours.

Respectfully Submitted,
Susan Williams, Chairman

RECREATION DEPARTMENT

The recreation department sported another active year. The Fishing Derby under the direction of Mike Conlin was a huge success and the weather cooperated. The pond was well stocked for the derby and every participant was given a tee shirt.

A new chain link fence was installed around the entire perimeter of Memorial Field; this replaced the original fence, which had fallen in disrepair.

Discussion occurred with Creating Positive Change of Peterborough regarding the establishment of a local teen center. The town would need to find a physical location for this type of center. A youth survey was sent out to families to gather data about the level of interest in youth activities.

Memorial Field is busy with constant activity. The amount of youth involved in soccer and baseball has shown the need for additional fields. A potential soccer field is being considered on land donated off Temple Road and the town is looking at the opportunity of constructing more fields on a section of the 138 acres adjacent to the transfer station.

The skateboard park was completed this year with the help of many volunteers and donations. The concrete pad was laid and a ramp was donated.

Bob McArthur resigned as Recreation Director at the end of the year and was replaced by Kathy Perra. Bob, for your service to the town, we thank you.

Mike Conlin finished out the year with an increase in sign ups for the basketball program.

Respectfully submitted,
Dutch Stauffeneker

POOL

The New Ipswich town pool was a popular place this summer. Great weather allowed for patrons to enjoy the pool day after day. Swimming lessons had many participants both in the pre-school and Red Cross programs. Parent/child classes, adult swimming lesson, and adult water aerobics were some of the extra programs offered this season. Themed pool parties coordinated with the Recreation Department's Activities Director were a huge hit during the summer. All who attended also enjoyed Spirit week. The swim team had a successful season remaining undefeated in all local competitions. During the Milford Rotary Swim Meet, the team placed third after moving up to a higher division.

Major renovations made to the pool house at the start of the summer included a new floor being poured and a new wall being built between the boys' bathroom and the pool guard room. Thank you to selectman Richard "Dutch" Stauffeneker and David Lage for their contribution in building the wall. Lockers were donated and installed for guest and employee use. Also, a permanent pipe was installed to supply water to the pool house. Previously a garden house was delivering the water supply to the pool house. New lifeguard chairs and additional guest chairs have been purchased for use next year at the pool.

Respectfully submitted,
Christine Lage, Director

OLD TOWN HALL COMMITTEE

The Selectmen created the Old Town Hall Committee in 2000. Their task was to determine the potential uses for the building and to explore potential refurbishing options and costs.

Fresh members were appointed this year following the resignation of many of the original committee members. The current members began an aggressive bi-monthly meeting schedule to refocus the committee on its original mission.

The committee held an open house, or to more accurately put it, an open "Town Hall" during the annual Fishing Derby weekend. The committee had learned that many of the people of New Ipswich had never seen the inside of the Old Town Hall. The goal was twofold. First was to hear the thoughts, ideas and concerns of residents before any course of action would be taken. Our second goal was to give residents an opportunity to see the building in its current state.

The building has been at the same location since 1817 and is the only structure in New Ipswich on the National Register of Historical Places. Over time, the building has served as a school, a meetinghouse and even a gym. Although it had gone through some structural changes early in its life, the form that we see today has remained unchanged since pre-Civil War years. The vast majority of feedback from residents suggested that an effort be made to restore the building to its original form as much as possible rather than simply repair it.

The committee received a small grant from the New Hampshire Preservation Alliance this summer to do a historical assessment of the building. The Alliance commissioned architect Daniel V. Scully of Keene who completed his evaluation in September. The report identified many of the historical aspects of the building and contained both short and long term recommendations. Aside from recommendations for dealing with an aging foundation and limited septic/water; the report points towards respecting the integrity of the building in future work. "Death by a Thousand Cuts", the incremental loss of detail and elements, which would result in the loss of the original composition of the building should be avoided.

A warrant article has been put forth asking for the creation of a Heritage Commission in accordance with RSA 673:1 II. This commission would be instrumental in obtaining grants to be used in the restoration of the hall. The next step in the building's future is dependent upon the approval or disapproval of this warrant article. If the warrant article passes, grant funding will become more accessible, allowing restoration efforts to continue. And, should the warrant article fail, the committee's mission will become one of maintaining rather than restoring.

Respectfully Submitted,
Alan Doyle, Chairman

POLICE DEPARTMENT

The year 2007 was very productive for the Police Department. Although we have been unable to successfully recruit a sixth officer, adjustments in scheduling and five officers for a full year made the police coverage much better than in previous years. We continue to compete with all other agencies in the State for qualified candidates for open police officer positions. The hiring process is very in depth and the number of potential candidates who make it through the entire process is 1% nationwide.

In 2007, the Police Department added a CAD system. This is a computer aided dispatch program that allows officers to send and receive messages from the police department and to be dispatched to calls via the computer network and not over radio frequencies. Officers are now able to confirm vehicle registrations and check driver licenses from their on board computer terminals.

If you would like to participate in our civilian ride-a-long program, please contact the department and schedule a time. I believe that you would find the ride-a-long very informative and allow you to observe the law enforcement function from a new perspective.

In 2007 the Police Department responded to 3,286 calls for service and completed 477 Incident Reports. The department made 190 arrests and made 1975 motor vehicle stops and person stops resulting in 1454 written warnings and 591 citations. The Police Department also handled 60 motor vehicle accidents. The department averages 9.00 calls for service per day. The statistics for the department are available on our website, www.nipd.net.

As always, my door is open, and if I can be of any assistance, please do not hesitate to call the Police Department or stop in.

Respectfully Submitted,
W. Garrett Chamberlain, Chief of Police

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

www.NewIpswichCC.org

The purpose of the Conservation Commission is to insure the "***proper utilization and protection of the natural resources and for the protection of watershed resources of the said city or town***" (RSA 36-A). Commission activities are directly related to this purpose. Activities for 2007 are outlined below:

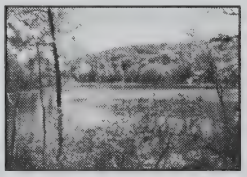
- The Commission collaborated with the Northeast Wilderness Trust and the Town of Rindge in a successful campaign to permanently protect over 1,400 acres of the Hampshire Country School Property.
- The town's Tree Warden (Betsy Thoms) continued being active in planting trees on town property and working with schools to educate the young on the importance of trees.
- During the year Commission members maintained hiking trails located on town conservation land. The hiking trails, provided for the use and enjoyment of the public, require ongoing maintenance such as brush cutting, bridge repair and other trail grooming activities.
- The Conservation Commission continued the publication of a series of documents to inform the citizens of New Ipswich about the value of the town's natural resources and the importance of protecting those resources. Each document, known as the ***"Green Sheet"***, covers such topics as timber harvesting, stream buffers and wetlands.
- The Commission spent a great deal of time reviewing Wetland Permits and monitoring development activities adjacent to the wetlands. The Commission is very concerned about the impact increased development will have on the town's wetlands. The wetlands are important for wildlife habitat, water storage and flood control. Wetlands are one of the town's most valuable natural resources, and your Commission spends a great deal of time protecting them.
- Members of the Conservation Commission's Easement Monitoring Teams monitored the various conservation lands managed by the Conservation Commission. The purpose of the monitoring is to insure that the conservation values of the lands are not negatively impacted.
- The Conservation Commission sent letters to town boards, offering comments and suggestions on the impact of development on the town's natural resources.
- The Commission is looking for full or part-time members who have an interest in protecting the town's natural resources and are able to give time to various Commission projects. If you are interested, contact the Town Office.
- The State of New Hampshire approved the Commission's application to officially designate Tophet Swamp as a Prime Wetland. Prime Wetland designation provides additional protection for wetlands which the Town of New Ipswich and the State of New Hampshire consider to be of extraordinary value.

• The Commission continued its annual tradition of donating an environmental/conservation book to the New Ipswich Library. This year's book was titled ***"Deforesting the Earth"*** by ***Michael Williams***.

• The Conservation Commission continued to work with local Boy Scout Troops on conservation and environmental Eagle Scout projects.

• The Communications Committee redesigned and updated the Commission's web site (http://www.NewIpswichCC.org).

• The Commission erected a plaque at the Geoffer's Trail trailhead to the late Geoff Rhoads who, together with his wife Dixie, generously donated a conservation easement to the Town of New Ipswich.



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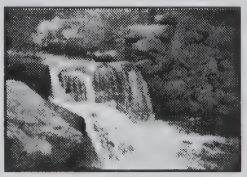
Nussdorfer Nature Area



Furnace Brook Falls
Rhoads Easement

Flood Control Dam
Dam Site 13

Respectfully Submitted,
Bob Boynton, Chairman

LIBRARY

2007 was a successful year at the New Ipswich Library. We continue to serve patrons from New Ipswich in numerous capacities with an on-going focus on children's titles and popular fiction.

As a result of a long-range planning committee conducted in 2006, a local contractor installed structural cable supports to prevent potential damage from heavy snowfall. The supports are aesthetically pleasing and the library building is structurally safe in the event of heavy snowfall.

Our children's programs continue to flourish. The Summer Reading Program is well attended with over 67 children reading numerous books throughout the summer months. Many children earned prizes for reading the required number of books.

As part of the Summer Reading Program, we hold special programs. For example, we had over 100 adults and children attend a reptile program in the warm days of summer. The library was full of excitement and energy while children and adults interacted with a wide variety of reptiles.

During the school year, the elementary schools in New Ipswich routinely use the library as classes walk from Central School to check out books. During their visits, the children also participate in story hour led by our librarian, Anne Soini.

Every Monday night at 7:00 PM, we hold a bedtime story hour for young children.

At 9:00 AM on Tuesday mornings, we have a mother's group for mothers and their pre-school aged children. Activities include singing, a story, and a craft activity. On special occasions, parents hold parties to celebrate holidays such as Valentine's Day or Easter.

We open up local and state resources for home school children, with a focus on using the NH State Inter-Library Loan program.

To support the needs of our adult patronage, we have an open book club that meets on Wednesday nights at 7:00 PM. The broad selection of books is selected carefully to challenge readers and offer a breadth of ideas for lively discussion.

We also continue as a member of the Hillstown Co-op that lets us participate in regular meetings and an audio/visual exchange. This co-operative agreement supplements our NH State Inter-Library Loan resources.

While our wireless Internet access has not been extensively used, children and adults regularly access the Internet from our public access computer. We are prepared to expand computer access as the needs of our patronage grow.

With the help of a Bill Gates' sponsored grant, we raised money to pay for an upgrade to our computer systems. With the remainder of the grant money, we hope to improve our library automation system, also.

We sincerely thank our library patrons for using the library and we also thank many charitable individuals and organizations such as the Stearns Burton Lecture Fund, the Children's Fair, and numerous Friends of the Library for their on-going support.

Respectfully submitted,
New Ipswich Library Trustees

SOUHEGAN VALLEY AMBULANCE SERVICE, INC

Souhegan Valley Ambulance Service (SVAS) responded to approximately 435 emergency calls in 2007. We have a very dedicated group of volunteers that spend countless hours ensuring the quality of care our community deserves. These hours not only include the response to emergency calls but also the many hours of training required to maintain their medical licenses, maintain equipment and ensure the day-to-day administrative tasks. As a result of the ever-increasing demands on the volunteers our service suffers from a high turnover rate and goes through periods of having an increased burden on its members.

Our goal is to provide the best possible care while keeping the equipment we use updated. In June of 2007 we purchased a new 2006 ambulance, replacing our older ambulance.

We are constantly striving to keep up with the demands within the community. However with the increase call volume we are always looking for more volunteers. If interested, please contact us.

The Board of Directors would like to extend its thanks to the community for its support to the ambulance service as well as send its appreciation to the members of SVAS and their families who put up with the countless hours and interrupted lives. Thank you for your time and dedication. We can be contacted at 435 Turnpike Road, PO Box 95, and at 878-4148, fax 878-3979.

Respectfully submitted,
Board of Directors

MODERATOR

The duties of the Moderator are as follows: 1) Serve as the Chief Election Official to oversee each of the elections. 2) Moderate the Candidates Night and the Annual Town Meeting Deliberative Session in early February. And 3) appoint two people to the Finance Advisory Committee (one appointment is for a 1 year term, the other is for a 2 year term).

The year 2007 was an "off year" with only the Annual Town Meeting business to address. The first session, Deliberative Session, was held in February, and the second session, voting, was held in March. No General or State elections were held.

The "Shadowing Program" with the Mascenic Social Studies students continues to be part of our election process to give students first hand experience at the polls. Again, I thank Mr. Kelly, of Mascenic Regional High School, for his continued help and support, and look forward to doing it again at the March 2008 elections.

The Supervisors of the Checklist continue to upgrade and refine the computerized checklist system in coordination with the State of New Hampshire.

A special thanks to Larry Ackerson, Deputy Moderator, whose expertise has been priceless. In addition, thank you to all the other election officials and personnel who are dedicated to conducting our elections in our longstanding traditions with integrity and objectivity.

Voting is a right guaranteed under the Constitution of the United States of America and the State of New Hampshire. You are encouraged to exercise that right as a responsible and well-informed citizen. We should remember to be respectful of the will of the voting majority, all the while respectful of the rights of the voting minority. It has been my pleasure to serve you as Moderator.

Respectfully submitted,
Earl Somero, Moderator

WELFARE

I have currently been the welfare director for 4 years. I have enjoyed working with people and serving the Town of New Ipswich. 2007 was a good year as far as the budget went. At year-end the welfare budget was under by $10,524.17. Rent and oil prices continue to rise, with the economy being shaky. Please think wisely and sparingly when it comes to heating your home, and give prior notice to evictions and shut-offs.

Respectfully submitted,
Carrie Traffie, Welfare Officer

SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST

The year 2007 was again a challenge for the checklist supervisors. Just when we thought we knew all we needed to about **Electio*Net***, we found that we have barely scratched the surface! I am pleased to report that we are forging ahead, and are slowly working on refining all the details that will perfect the system. This process has been made a lot easier by the purchase of a laptop computer for our use. We want to thank the Town Administrator and her staff for their support in allowing us to come into the office when it is closed so that we may work together to complete the task we have been given.

Respectfully submitted,
Geraldine E. Nelson, Supervisor

FINANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The Finance Advisory Committee was established in 1995 by a warrant article vote. The purpose is to review and assist in the preparation of the Town Budget. The committee presents its recommendations to the Board of Selectmen. However, the recommendations are not binding. The Committee consists of five members, two appointed by the Moderator, two appointed by the Planning Board, and one appointed by the Board of Selectmen. In 2007 the members were as follows: Jeanne Cunningham, Bentti Hoiska, Mark Hopkins, David Lage and Malcolm "Kim" Rode.

The Committee started meeting in September each Monday until the budget recommendation was complete and presented to the Selectmen on December 18, 2007. As part of its deliberations the Committee had all department heads present their budget requests and answer questions. The Committee reviewed each request line by line including information regarding the 2007 budget, actual expenditures to date, and assumptions for 2008.

After all presentations were made and all requested information was received the committee reviewed each department's budget and arrived at a unanimous recommendation. The original 2008 budget request was $2,450,048 or 9.4% over the 2007 appropriation. The committee's recommended budget for 2008 is $2,339,254 or 4.5% over 2007. Through its deliberations the Committee was able to reduce the request almost $100,000 and still allow the Town to maintain its essential functions.

Respectfully submitted,
Malcolm "Kim" Rode, Chairman

MEMORIAL DAY

Dedicated to those who served our country during peace and war lest we forget.

(*) Indicates died in service for their country.

Aaltonen, Rudolph
Adams, Ephrain
*Adams, Phineas
Aho, Charles F.
Aho Jr., John
Aho Jr., Leonard
Aho, Norman
Aho Sr., Leonard
Aho, William M.
Alddrich, William
Allard, James
Allard, Paul R.
Ames, Captain Jacob
Anderson, Oiva R.
Andrews, Asa
Antilla, Alexander
Appleton, Francis
Appleton, Eugene F.
Barney, F.
Bartecchi, Eugene J.
Batchelder, Samuel
Beaudoin, Robert M.
Beaver, Ronald L.
Bennett, Harlan
Bernier, James R.
Berube, C. Kenneth
Bewley, William
Blackburn, Royce
Blanchard, Edward F.
Blanchard, Simeon
Bon, Primus B.
Bonner, Clarence
Bourgault, Lucien
Bowman, Nellie
Boyce, Paul L.
Brecht Jr., Robert
Breed Jr., Allen
Breed, John
Brooks, Stephen
Brown, Captain Abner
Burdick, William
Cadman, Donald H.
Caouette, Wilfred
Carlson, Donald
Carter, Edward
Chandler, Arthur
Chandler, James L.
Chandler, James R.
Chapman, Fred
Clark, Ebenezer
Clark Sr., Richard A.
Coleman, Robert J.
Corbett, Ransom
Cummings, Charles
Cutter, John
Davidson, P. Edwin
*Davis, Albert H.
*Davis, Edward E.
Dicker, Arthur A.
Donley, Captain William
Donley, Michael P.
Dunn, Ann
Dutton, Jonas
Edmond, Brian
Edmonds, William J.
Estes, Thomas C.
Fairfield, Edward
*Fairfield, Richard C.
Farwell, Daniel
Fisher, Albert
Fitch, Leo
Flanagan, John
Fltecher, Ebenezer
Fletcher, John A.
Fletcher, Thomas
Foskett, Isaac
*Foster, Ephrain
*Foster, Samuel
Fournier, Steven
Fowler, Archibault C.
Franks, Joseph
Frederick, Elisha
Frost, Leon (Stubby)
Frost, Ronald E.
*Gagnon, Roche
Garneau, Raoul
Gilchrist, Harry
Gordon, Robert
Gore, John
Gragink, Abner
Greenman, William
Greenwood, Donley
Gregory Jr., Owen
Hakala, Arthur
Halfpenny, George
Hall, Richard A.
Harbor, Farnsworth
Hayden, Peter
Heald, Thomas
Hewitt Sr., Richard G.
Hildreth, Stephen
Hill, Leo
Hogan, Kenneth N.
Holombo, Douglas
Hopkins, George
Howard, Ambrose
Howard, David H.
Howard, William
Hubbard, George H.
Hurd, Theodore
Inbertila, Waino C.
Jones, Herman
Junni, Ragner
Kangas, Alfred
Kangas, Harvey
Kangas, John
*Kangas, Leonard I.
Kangas, Ralph
Kangas, Toivo M.
Kangas, Walter
Keay, John
Keefe, Alden P.
Kellogg, Stanley
Kenney, Nicholas
*Kenney, Samuel
Kesti, Oscar R.

Kesti, Peter
Kiddl, Reuben
Kenney, Samuel
Kirth, Donald
Kivela, Reino W.
Kivela, Sulo
*Knowlton, John F.
Knowlton, William R.
Koivula, Andrew
Koivula, Leo P.
Koivula, Urho
Koski, Charles
Koski, Harvey
Koisi, Toivo J.
Korpi, Verner I.
Krook, Paul H.
Lakanan, Daniel T.
Lampi, Thomas T.
Lampi, Uuno
Lapointe, Peter
LeBlanc, Joseph A. R.
Legsdin Sr., Warren E.
Lehtola, Ahti
Lehtola, Atso
Lehtonen, Albert J. L.
Lehtonen, Walter E.
Lemons, Harry
*Locke, Warren
Lougee, Smith
McCauley, Clay (Rev.)
Maki, George
Maki, Matti
Mansfield, William
*Mansur, William
Matson, John (Koski)
Matthews, David J.
Matthews, Frank
*Maxwell, Earle R.
McIntire, Alexander
McNabb, James F.
Menegus, George
Messier, Donald
Meyer, Gary
Miller, James
Moore, John
Moran, William P.
Mossy, Isiah
Nauss, Earl (Rev.)
Nelson, Leo
Nevhall, Onesimus
*Nicholas, Warren C.
Niskala, Viekko
Niskala, Walter
Novy, Jon
Nutting, Allen A.
*Nutting, Charles P.
Nutting, Charles S.
Nutting, Francis
*Nutting, George H.
Nutting, George P.
Nutting, James F.
Nutting, Jonas
Nutting, Raymond
Ober, Donald
Olausen, Oscar
Parhiala, Everett
Parker, Donald
Parker, Harold L.
Parker, Jonathan
Parker, Joseph
Parmenter, George
Pedersen, James S.
Perry, Albert
*Pike, John
Pratt Jr., Charles H.
Pratt Sr., Charles H.
Pratt, John
Prescott, Clarence
Preston, John
Preston, Roger
Pritchard, Jeremiah
Pritchard, Perley
Pritchard, William
Putnam Sr., George E.
Raponi, Eli
Rawlston, Chester
*Ray, Walter
*Ready, Patrick
Rodenhiser, Lawrence A.
St. Pierre, Eugene
Salmu, Wilhemina
*Scott, David
*Shattuck, John B.
*Shattuck, William
Silver, Joseph C.
Simeon, Fletcher (Rev.)
Siren, Aarni R.
Smith, Clarence
Smith, Merrill
Solomon, Oscar
Somero, Davis
Somero, Everett
Somero, peter P.
Somero, Philip
Somero, William
Somero, William R.
Spaulding, James
Stahl, Mauden
Stansel Jr., Arthur
Staple, Wilho
Starton, H. M.
*Swallow, Andrew S.
Taylor, Alfred
Taylor, Irving
Thayer, Arthur
Thayer II, Walter S.
Thayer, William (Bill)
Thiel Sr., Raymond
Thomas, Joseph
Thompson, Philip M.
Thompson, Walter
Thoms, William (Bill)
Toko, Leo V.
Taylor, Thaddeus
Tenney, Theodore
Thayer, Arthur Thayer II, Walter S.
Thayer, William (Bill)
Thiel Sr., Raymond
Thomas, Joseph
Thompson, Philip M.
Thompson, Walter
Thoms, William (Bill)
Toko, Leo V.
Tolman, Charles
Town, Ezra
Tucker, Mofes
Tuttle Jr., Robert

Vaillancourt, Leonard S.
Vaillancourt, Napoleon G.
Viitanen, Donald
*Vincent, Pascal Eno
Walker, Jesse
*Walker, John K.
Watkins, Robert
*Weston, William L.
Weston, William R.
*Wheeler, Josiah P.
Wheeler, Richard
Wheeler, Seth
Wheeler, Stephen
White Sr., Andrell (Bud)
Whitney, Christopher
Whittemore, Charles L.
Wiiks, Toivo
Willard, George
Williams, Isiah H.
Wilson, Braman I.
Wilson, henry
Wilson, Supply
Wolfe Sr., Michael W.
Wood, Salom
Worcester, Nathan
Wright, Albert F.
Wright, Charles
Ylonen, Sulo

MARRIAGE REPORT
FOR THE TOWN OF NEW IPSWICH
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007

NAME	RESIDENCE	PLACE OF MARRIAGE	DATE OF MARRIAGE
Johnson, Adam N.	New Ipswich, NH	Nashua, NH	02/02/2007
Harris, Kara L.	Tyngsborough, MA		
Wilson, Gary M.	New Ipswich, NH	Bedford, NH	02/17/2007
Montgomery, Nancy P.	New Ipswich, NH		
Traffie, Benjamin I.	Rindge, NH	New Ipswich, NH	03/10/2007
Muhonen, Ingrid S.	New Ipswich, NH		
Anastos-Jurado, Jose	New Ipswich, NH	Greenville, NH	03/21/2007
Saari, Lisa M.	New Ipswich, NH		
Hrytsuk, Dzmitry	Seabrook, NH	Seabrook, NH	03/24/2007
Brovina, Mariya N.	New Ipswich		
Ferguson, Michael D.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	04/21/2007
Pearce, Deborah J.	New Ipswich, NH		
Bertram, Owen H.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	04/21/2007
Somero, Rosalind K.	New Ipswich, NH		
Brummer, Christopher	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	05/05/2007
Jones, Jessica H.	New Ipswich, NH		
Niemela, Jesse M.	Jaffrey, NH	Rindge, NH	05/06/2007
Kalliainen, Sierra L.	New Ipswich, NH		
Greenwood, George J.	New Ipswich, NH	Nashua, NH	05/16/2007
Hanley, Jane E.	New Ipswich, NH		
Buxton, Anthony J.	New Ipswich, NH	Rindge, NH	05/26/2007
Buckley, Melinda	New Ipswich, NH		
Martel, Stephen M.	New Ipswich, NH	Jaffrey, NH	05/26/2007
Thoel, Amy M.	New Ipswich, NH		
Cramb, Andrew C.	Rochester, NH	Rindge, NH	05/26/2007
Traffie, Lora M.	New Ipswich, NH		
Richard, Matthew M.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	06/02/2007
Straitiff, Bonnie J.	New Ipswich, NH		
Coponen, Harley W.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	06/02/2007
Muhonen, Tina M.	New Ipswich, NH		

Kinnunen, Jeremy C.	New Ipswich, NH	Jaffrey, NH	06/09/2007
Vitello, Leah R.	Temple, NH		
Olin, Duane M.	Rindge, NH	Rindge, NH	06/10/2007
Matson, Chandra A.	New Ipswich, NH		
Matson, Daniel J.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	06/16/2007
Somero, Starlynn M.	Ashburnham, MA		
Seppala, Timothy J.	New Ipswich, NH	Rindge, NH	06/23/2007
Blanchette, Melissa K.	Peterborough, NH		
Viglione, Dominic H.	New Ipswich, NH	Greenville, NH	06/30/2007
Goss, Molly M.	New Ipswich, NH		
Degraf, Colin J.	Mt. Rainer, MD	Rindge, NH	07/07/2007
Edgar, Nicole K.	New Ipswich, NH		
Matson, Troy C.	Dublin, NH	New Ipswich, NH	07/14/2007
Goddard, Lori B.	New Ipswich, NH		
West, Joshua E.	Fitchburg, MA	Moultonborough, NH	07/15/2007
Aho, Rachel A.	New Ipswich, NH		
Ilg, Jason R.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	07/21/2007
Hill, Christina L.	New Ipswich, NH		
Benson, Jeff G.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	07/28/2007
Brown, Heather J.	New Ipswich, NH		
Benoit, Matthew D.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	07/29/2007
Kellogg, Julianne A.	New Ipswich, NH		
Slovenkai, Donald S.	New Ipswich, NH	Peterborough, NH	08/04/2007
Bolton, Paulette M.	Bennington, NH		
Reardon, Terrence J.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	08/11/2007
Lemons, Jodee L.	New Ipswich, NH		
Boisvert, Robert L.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	08/11/2007
Zalewa, Marjorie E.	New Ipswich, NH		
Walter, Graham D.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	08/20/2007
Bellantoni, Lois M.	New Ipswich, NH		
Michaud, Steven D.	New Ipswich, NH	Rindge, NH	09/08/2007
Dunn, Shannon M.	New Ipswich, NH		
Reini, Jared D.	Rindge, NH	New Ipswich, NH	09/08/2007
Bertram, Sondra J.	New Ipswich, NH		

Rodenhiser, John H.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	09/09/2007
Powers, Pamela J.	New Ipswich, NH		
Lapan, Scott	New Ipswich, NH	Amherst, NH	09/15/2007
Mangini, Marci	New Ipswich, NH		
McCardle, Francis B.	New Ipswich, NH	Brooklkine, NH	09/15/2007
Martin, Jennifer L.	New Ipswich, NH		
Westaway, James S.	Greenfield, NH	Greenville, NH	09/15/2007
Tramack, Candace M.	New Ipswich, NH		
Rautiola, Marcus L.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	09/22/2007
Somero, Darci C.	New Ipswich, NH		
Demster, Kevin P.	New Ipswich, NH	Rindge, NH	10/06/2007
Ojala, Patience E.	New Ipswich, NH		
Lehtonen, Kenneth A.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	10/06/2007
Somero, Carisa D.	New Ipswich, NH		
Pellerito, Michael A.	New Ipswich, NH	Hollis, NH	10/07/2007
Frediani, Brenda L.	New Ipswich, NH		
Johnson, Arthur S.	Groton, MA	New Ipswich, NH	10/08/2007
Johnson, Barbara B.	New Ipswich, NH		
Fillingame, William W.	Oak Ridge, TN	Francestown, NH	10/13/2007
Clarke, Beverle N.	New Ipswich, NH		
Jacques, Jason A.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	10/19/2007
Shiffer, Kristina L.	New Ipswich, NH		
Knisley, Jesse R.	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	11/03/2007
Lambert, Jessica L.	New Ipswich, NH		
Anderson, Randy R.	Temple, NH	Peterborough, NH	11/09/2007
Salmonson, Rachel H.	New Ipswich, NH		
Calistro, David R.	New Ipswich, NH	Jaffrey, NH	12/10/2007
Henry, Heather A.	Manchester, NH		
Henault, Christopher D	New Ipswich, NH	New Ipswich, NH	12/30/2007
Hakala, Jenna L.	New Ipswich, NH		

RESIDENT BIRTH REPORT
FOR THE TOWN OF NEW IPSWICH
YEAR ENDIING DECEMBER 31, 2005

CHILD'S NAME	DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE OF BIRTH	FATHER'S NAME	MOTHER'S NAME
Chapman, Trayton Matthew	01/02/2007	Peterborough, NH	Chapman, Joshua	Chapman, Marcy
Eisen, Macy June	01/02/2007	Peterborough, NH	Eisen, Peter	Eisen, RebeccaA
Traffie, Sheena Lynn	01/06/2007	New Ipswich, NH	Traffie, Carl	Traffie, Kara
Siefart, Hannah Adelaide	01/09/2007	Peterborough, NH	Seifart, Scott	Seifart, Kara
Guptill, Grady Landor	01/15/2007	Peterborough, NH	Guptill, Ronnie	Guptill, Amy
Krook, Quinn Joshua	02/19/2007	Peterborough, NH	Krook, Joshua	Krook, Gwen
Williams, Carter John	02/19/2007	Peterborough, NH	Williams, Carl	Williams, Michelle
Lambert, Logan Matthew	02/21/2007	Peterborough, NH	Lambert, Matthew	Lambert, Melissa
Hannu, Anders Albert	02/28/2007	New Ipswich, NH	Hannu, Amos	Hannu, Tammy
Vaillancourt, Mackenzie Ros	03/06/2007	Peterborough, NH	Vaillancourt, Andrew	Vaillancourt, Sarah
Wooster, Faith Marie	03/08/2007	Peterborough, NH	Wooster, Scott	Wooster, Kristel
Gray, Michael Joseph	03/23/2007	Peterborough, NH	Gray, Michael	Edwards, Caitlin
Benoit, Cameron James	03/30/2007	Nashua, NH	Benoit, Matthew	Benoit, Julianne
Vaillancourt, Grace Elizabeth	04/02/2007	Peterborough, NH	Vaillancourt, Gregory	Gagnon, Jennifer
Rautiola, Blayne Nathan	04/02/2007	Peterborough, NH	Rautiola, Nathan	Rautiola, Sinnikka
Boczar, Magnus Ian	04/03/2007	Peterborough, NH	Boczar, Brian	Boczar, Candace
Bliss, Chaiya Kalila	04/03/2007	New Ipswich, NH	Mundan, Ult	Tyne, Karen
Stamand, Charlotte Ann	04/12/2007	Peterborough, NH	Stamand, Jason	Stammand, Heather
Krook, Donovan Paul	04/21/2007	Peterborough, NH	Krook, Benjamin	Krook, Emily
Jorritsma, Apryl Ann	04/23/2007	Keene, NH	Jorritsma, James	Whitten, Felici
Norris, Randy James	04/28/2007	Peterborough, NH	Norris, Jason	Norris, Siobhan
Blais, Isaiah Timothy	05/06/2007	Peterborough, NH	Blais, Timothy	Blais, Jessica
Boisvert, Ashley Bobbie	05/07/2007	Keene, NH	Boisvert, Robert	Zalewa, Marjorie
Ela, Isabel Grace	05/26/2007	Nashua, NH	Ela, Scott	Gary, Sarah
Matson, Tori Joy	05/30/2007	Peterborough, NH	Matson, Lincoln	Matson, Trina
Vautour, Rowen Edward	06/12/2007	Peterborough, NH	Vautour, Nicholas	Vautour, Mindy
McGovern, Kianah Grace	06/12/2007	Peterborough, NH	McGovern, John	McGovern, Sarah
Damery, Miranda Faith	06/15/2007	Peterborough, NH	Damery, Michael	Damery, Marlene
Buttrick, Dylan Stewart	06/23/2007	Peterborough, NH	Buttrick, Benjamin	Buttrick, Jennifer
Dauchy, Payton Rose	06/28/2007	Peterborough, NH	Daunchy, Timothy	Curtis, Nicole
Daigle, Connor Joseph	07/02/2007	Peterborough, NH	Daigle, Ronald	Hillock, Sandra
Saari, Shayla Jane	07/14/2007	Peterborough, NH	Sarri, Travis	Sarri, Melissa
Brummer, Gunner Christopher	07/16/2007	Peterborough, NH	Brummer, Christopher	Brummer, Jessica

Kinsley, Jenna Kathleen	07/21/2007	Peterborough, NH	Kinsley, Jared	Kinsley, Wanda
Honeywell, Phoebe Maureen	07/23/2007	Peterborough, NH	Honeywell, Bernard	Honeywell, Paula
Vaillancourt, Devon Paul	07/27/2007	Milford, NH	Vaillancourt, Adam	Vaillancourt, Annie
Vaillancourt, Drew Paul	07/27/2007	Milford, NH	Vaillancourt, Adam	Vaillancourt, Annie
Santucci, Nicholas Joseph	08/24/2007	Peterborough, NH	Santucci, Nicholas	Satucci, Katherine
Kinsley, David Paul	08/06/2007	Peterborough, NH	Kinsley, Jesse	Lambert Jessica
Nolin, Joanne Judith	08/10/2007	Peterborough, NH	Nolin, Eric	Nolin, Hilary
Gerow, Caeden Hall	08/19/2007	Peterborough, NH	Gerow, Brian	Gerow, Gwendolyn
Wirkkala, Zane Orval	08/27/2007	Peterborough, NH	Wirkkala, Nels	Wirkkala,Karen
Kane, Magen Nicole	08/29/2007	Nashua, NH	Kane, Michael	Chabre, Melanie
Little, Devin Michael	08/29/2007	Peterborough, NH	Little, Timothy	Bishop, Megan
Moore, Autumn, Ruth	09/01/2007	Peterborough, NH	Moore, Craig	Moore, Melinda
Traffie, Anika Lisa	09/09/2007	Peterborough, NH	Traffie, David	Traffie, Ann
Herr, Tristin Michael	09/18/2007	Peterborough, NH	Herr, Michael	Herr, Carrie
Jablonski, Daniel	09/20/2007	Peterborough, NH	Jablonski, Piotr	Jablonski, Marta
Levangie, Roman Michael	09/24/2007	Peterborough, NH	Levangie, Jared	Levangie, Rachael
Rogers, Elsa Nancy	09/26/2007	Nashua, NH	Rogers, Edward	Rogers, Kathleen
Geanuracos, Latelyn Marlene	10/12/2007	Nashua, NH	Daniels, Damian	Daniels, Deena
Wright, Christopher Robert	10/17/2007	Nashua, NH	Wright, Chad	Wright, Maria
Cormier, Holly Elizabeth	10/18/2007	Peterborough, NH	Cormier, Aaron	Cormier, Carrie
Archambault, Olivia Christine	10/19/2007	Nashua, NH	Archambault, Douglas	Archambault, Lori Ann
Straitiff, Scarlett Elizabeth	11/04/2007	Nashua, NH	Straitiff, Christopher	Straitiff, Michele
Bangs, Isabelle, Oliva	11/05/2007	Peterborough, NH	Bangs, Michael	Bangs, Elizabeth
Desrosiers, Charlie Joseph	11/08/2007	Peterborough, NH	Desrosiers, Justin	Desrosiers, Holly
Phillips, Charles Joseph	11/13/2007	Peterborough, NH	Phillips, Christopher	Phillips, Deborah
Callahan, Dylan Dakota	11/13/2007	Nashua, NH	Callahan, David	Callahan, Suzanne
Aikens, Kody James	11/16/2007	Peterborough, NH	Aikens, Ryan	Stanley, Kayla
Aho, Megan Pearl	11/20/2007	Keene, NH	Aho, Clayton	Aho, Brenda
Somero, Azaliah Bonnie	11/21/2007	Peterborough, NH	Somero, Taylor	Somero, Rachel
Cooke, Jackson Ryan	12/03/2007	Peterborough, NH	Cooke, Ryan	Cooke, Tanya
Krapf, Walker James	12/07/2007	Peterborough, NH	Krapf, Daniel	Krapf, Melissa
Lakanen, Noah James	12/11/2007	Nashua, NH	Lakanen, Dean	Lakanen, Kelly
Aho, Tyra Marie	12/15/2007	Peterborough, NH	Aho, Aaron	Aho, Kathleen
Maldonado, Irene	12/27/2007	Peterborough, NH	Maldonado, Samuel	Maldonado, Sylvia

DEATHS REGISTERED
IN THE TOWN OF NEW IPSWICH
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007

Decedent's Name	Date of Death	Place of Death
Hobbs, Alfred	01/25/2007	New Ipswich
Duclos, Irene	01/31/2007	Merrimack, NH
Muhonen, Tia	03/19/2007	Keene, NH
Carey, Dana	04/05/2007	Peterborough, NH
Wilson, Lillian	04/20/2007	Nashua, NH
Thayer, Ellen	05/12/2007	Jaffrey, NH
Aho, William	06/13/2007	New Ipswich
Levasseur, Leo	07/15/2007	Lebanon, NH
Dumaine, Pauline	08/15/2007	Nashua, NH
Koski, John	08/18/2007	Peterborough, NH
Bessette, Ricky	09/30/2007	New Ipswich
Bryan, Thomas	10/23/2007	Manchester, NH
Bridges, Charles	11/10/2007	New Ipswich
Tapply, Robert	12/14/2007	Peterborough, NH

BURIALS AT SACRED HEART CEMETERY

Decedent's Name	Date of Death	Place of Death
Morneau, Anita	01/10/07	Greenville, NH
Hobbs, Alfred	01/25/07	New Ipswich
Duval, Joseph	04/02/07	Tampa, FL
Gendron, Walter	04/18/07	Tampa, FL
Osborne, Faith	06/16/07	Millbury, MA
White, Michael	08/08/07	Nashua, NH
Beausoleil, Angela	09/26/07	Jaffrey, NH
Smith, Marie	08/16/06	New Ipswich

Lucy,
Thank You for your many years of service. Enjoy your well deserved retirement.
DAVID LAGE

Lucy,
I will miss your sense of humor. :)
Mary

GOOD LUCK
WE WILL MISS YOU
Jim

You are Great!
Best Wishes Lucy,
Marie

Enjoy your retirement.
I'll miss you.
Joanne

BEST WISHES
DAVE LEE!

I'll Really Miss you
Its been GREAT FOR
30 years
Beverly

I'll REMEMBER
ALL THOSE WONDERFUL
TIMES WORKING WITH YOU
GEORGE S.

Enjoy your retirement
It's a lot of fun
Allie

I'll miss you Lucy!
Amy.

ENJOY YOUR TIME OFF!
GARRETT

out of office but not
out of our lives!
Happy Retirement
I will miss your
smiling face.
Thank you.
Joanne

GO OUT and
ENJOY and SEE
The WORLD
David Kennedy

TOWN OFFICE HOURS

TOWN CLERK:	Monday,Wednesday,Thursday 9:00 to 12:30; 1:30 to 4:00; Tuesday 1:00-7:00
TAX COLLECTOR:	Monday, through Thursday 9:00 to 12:30, 1:30 to 4:00 Tuesday evening 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. Jun/July Nov/Dec
SELECTMENS OFFICE:	Monday through Thursday 9:00 to 12:30, 1:30 to 4:00 Meetings are Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m.
TOWN ADMINISTRATOR:	Monday through Thursday 9:00 to 12:30, 1:30 to 4:00
ASSESSORS OFFICE:	Monday through Thursday 9:00 to 12:30, 1:30 to 4:00 Meetings are on the first and third Mondays at 7:30 p.m.
PLANNING BOARD:	Monday through Thursday 9:00 to 12:30, 1:30 to 4:00 Meetings are on the first and third Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m.
ZONING BOARD	Meetings are on the first Thursday at 7:30 p.m.
CONSERVATION	Meetings are on the second Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.
TRANSFER STATION	Wednesday 11:00 to 4:00 p.m., Saturday 7:00 to 4:00.p.m.
POOL	June through August

PHONE NUMBERS

Town Clerk: 878-3567
Tax Collector: 878-5068

Selectmen, Town Administrator,
Assessing, Planning, Zoning, Conservation, Welfare, Building Inspector: 878-2772

Highway: 878-2447

Police (non-emergency): 878-2771

Fire Department: 878-1364

Landfill: 878-3179

Emergency Management Office: 878-4515